Weather

Cloudy and hot weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 93.6 and the minimum 75.0, figures for the corresponding day last year being 90.0 and 74.8.

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ALLIES AGREE TO PRINCIPAL ITEMS IN NOTE FROM BERLIN

Ambassadors Accept Points On Military Control

BIDS TO LONDON

Terms Of Invitation Offend French Official Circles

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, July 3.—The Conference of Ambassadors has agreed on the main lines of the reply to the German Note concerning military control.

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 3.—France, Belgium, Italy and Japan have accepted invitations to the Allied Conference in London on July 16. The United States has also accepted another form of invitation.

It is intended that all States interested in reparations should have an opportunity of attending but the question of invitations has not yet been decided. The question of the Dominions is also being discussed.

(Reuter's Service)

Cologne, July 3.—The Ruhr mine-owners have notified cancellation of the agreement with the Inter-Allied Commission regarding reparations deliveries on the ground that the German Government have declined financial assistance and it is impossible for industry to bear the burden alone.

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, July 4.—The terms of the British invitation to the Inter-Allied Conference, which specify the bases of the proposed discussions, have offended French official circles, judging from a statement, issued by the Quai d'Orsay, declaring that the British memorandum binds nobody but the authors. It adds that the French Government intend to preserve complete liberty of action with regard to the suggestions, with which the British Foreign Office has accompanied its invitation without first consulting Paris. It points out that France is free before and at the conference to submit any proposals it likes, whether in harmony with the British suggestions or not.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, July 3.—With reference to the London conference for the application of the experts' plan, M. Millies Lacroix has communicated to M. Herriot the thanks of the Assembly for the sincere explanations furnished by the Premier.

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs in an announcement today says that the Government has received no written invitation from the British Government to take part in the London conference. Communications with regard to this invitation must be considered premature.

The Conference of Ambassadors today examined the German reply on the control of armaments in the Reich and agree on the reply to be transmitted to Berlin.

The Reichstag will meet in the second half of July for the necessary discussion of the experts' plan.

U. S.—HUNGARIAN LOAN

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, July 4.—It is announced that the whole of the American share of the Hungarian loan has been subscribed.

Hopes To Swerve Commons On War Charges Measure

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 3.—In the House of Commons tonight, referring to the rejection by the House of Lords of the War Charges Validity Bill on Tuesday, Mr. J. R. Clynes said that the House of Commons were the supreme authority on finance. The Government would take an early opportunity to make the will of the House prevail. He hoped to receive the general support of all sections in the matter.

HARD FIGHTING IN MOROCCO, SPANISH ARE IN DIRE PERIL

Riffs Trying To Isolate Defenders' Positions

MADRID WORRIED

Premier Plans Visit To African Front Next Week

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 3.—Disquitting reports are trickling through from Reuter's correspondent in Madrid. They show that the Spanish forces are engaged in heavy fighting against Riff tribesmen in Morocco. Communiques acknowledge that eight officers, including two native officers, have been wounded, some of them seriously, and that 100 soldiers, mostly natives, have been killed or wounded.

(Reuter's Service)

A Spanish military aeroplane was brought down at Tetuan, and a Captain and a Lieutenant mortally wounded.

A Spanish column has reached Taxza Seland with supplies. It reports that falling back is difficult as the enemy are firing from both sides of the Bujaren river. The casualties are not yet known.

A communique adds that members of Riffs have established themselves firmly and have cut the Spanish communications at two places. A strong detachment will be sent to dislodge them and prevent the isolation of the Spanish positions, but the Spaniards may first have to assume the defensive before following up attacks with counter-offensives.

The seriousness of the situation is indicated by the fact that the Premier, General Primo de Rivera, will visit the front next week.

(French Wireless through Reuter)

Paris, July 3.—The General commanding the Ceuta sector has been relieved of his post. General Primo de Rivera will leave for Morocco on July 9 to observe the operations. An official communique announces that a hundred soldiers were killed or wounded on July 2. Fighting is continuing. The situation is becoming critical.

Marshal Lyautey inspected the front, where delegations from the newly-submitted tribes, led by their chiefs, were presented to him.

Germans In China To Get Property Back Under Pact

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 4.—A telegram from Berlin states that the German-Chinese negotiations have resulted in an agreement under which German private possessions will be restored, the Deutsch. Asiatische Bank recovers its premises in Peking and Hankow and will be re-established as before the war and the Chinese war damage claim will be settled by the surrender of Chinese railway loan securities.

Asks Peking Aid For Flood Victims

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 1.—Admiral Sah Chen-ping, Civil Governor of Fukien, has telegraphed to the Government suggesting that Government assistance should be given to sufferers from the recent floods in Fukien. The Cabinet referred the matter to the President and it is expected that a mandate will shortly be issued announcing the relief to be given.

London Builders Threaten To Quit

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 3.—The Building Operatives' Federation have declined to avail themselves of the employers' decision to postpone the lockout. Notices declare that, unless the increase in the hourly rate and the provision of a guaranteed week are introduced on July 5, labor must be withdrawn.

Americans Here Observe Independence Day With Varied Program Of Events

Flag-Raising, Consular Reception, Ball Games, Community Celebration And Tableaux Figure In Day's Schedule

Americans in Shanghai yesterday lent their full quota toward the celebration of their country's birthday—and the day goes on record as probably the most successful anniversary of its sort in local annals.

The Weather Man, ever a potent factor, and usually not too good-natured at this season, cooperated in grand style yesterday, and the sizzling hot, and therefore homeside-like, day, without any dampening showers, gave full play to the program arranged by the Fourth of July Committee. The schedule of affairs went through without a hitch and the American colony enjoyed it thoroughly.

The day began with the flag-raising ceremony at the United States Consulate-General at 8 yesterday morning. It was performed by a detachment from the American Company, S.V.C., assisted by American Boy Scouts, and proved an impressive affair. The Consulate compound had been roofed over with matting as a precaution against the elements—rain or beating sun—and the area was brightly decked with flags and bunting.

SPEECHES MADE

When the Stars and Stripes had been run to the top of the tall staff, Consul-General Edwin S. Cunningham spoke to the assembly on the inspiration which should be aroused by seeing the flag lifted to the mast head. He then called upon Captain A. Loder, U. S.N., who spoke in a most interesting way on the uses and history of the flag. Captain Loder described the origin and first display of the national banner and then told of the various ceremonials and manners of observance in connection with different occasions upon which the Stars and Stripes figure.

The reading of the Declaration of Independence, one of the principal features of Fourth of July celebrations at home, was delegated to Judge Milton D. Purdy of the United States Court for China, who delivered the words of the historic document most eloquently, and referred to it as one of the finest passages of English he had ever read. Speaking to the many American children present, he remarked that he at one time knew the "Declaration" by heart, and advised the youngsters he saw before him to commit the piece to memory.

Announcement was then made of the prizes in the Independence Day essay contest announced by Consul-General Cunningham some weeks ago and open to all American school children in Shanghai. First prize in the senior grade was awarded George Malu, 722 Avenue Joffre, a second-year high school pupil. Second prize for the higher grades went to R. Edwin Worley, of the Shanghai American School, third-year high school. The winner of the first prize for the lower grades for the best essay on the American flag was awarded to Miss Maud Gray, 92 Route de Say Zoong, who is in the eighth grade and is 13 years of age.

The winning essay in the higher grades is published on the magazine page of today's China Press.

Another feature of the early morning ceremony at the Consulate was the distribution to the children of small American flags by Mrs. Cunningham.

CONSULAR RECEPTION

Between the hours of 11:30 a.m. and 12:30 p.m. the Consulate was crowded by Americans and members of other nationalities including officials, for the official Consular reception. Among the officials present were representatives of the other Consulates, of Chinese officialdom and of the Municipal bodies.

In the early afternoon there was a rush for the baseball diamond at the Race Course, where the civilian team first engaged with the U. S. Navy men in the annual contest for the cup and later took on the crack visiting Japanese team. The civies won the cup this year—following two reverses—and lost to the Japanese, before a huge crowd of spectators.

The tableaux arranged for the community celebration before the Race Course stands and the picnic supper which followed there drew a record crowd of Americans and other nationals and was probably the most successful affair of its kind staged here. A full account of this feature will be found in another column.

From 5 p.m. to 8 members of the Columbia Country Club where the highly successful Fourth of July dance took place Thursday night, were at home to their friends, and this was a mecca for another throng.

Followed innumerable private dinner parties at the various cafes and hotels, where special holiday menus were served, and the celebration carried on over into the early morning hours at the several city's hostelries where dancing is enjoyed.

Another colorful item of the day's program was the searchlight display provided by the U. S. S. Ashville during the evening. The ship swept the skies with four brilliant streamers of light, reminiscent of the aurora borealis and played a stationary ray upon Old Glory, floating from the tip of the Consular flagstaff. The flagstaff itself was specially decked with streamers of electric globes and stood out strikingly on the waterfront.

MISSIONARY IN THRILLING ESCAPE FROM KWEILIN

Dr. R. E. L. Mewshaw And Family Get Through Hostile Lines

(China Press Correspondence)

Wuchow, June 28.—Dr. R. E. L. Mewshaw, Medical Missionary of the American Southern Baptist Mission located at Kweilin, Kwang Sai, arrived with his family at Wuchow yesterday.

The city of Kweilin has been under seige since April 11. Dr. Mewshaw who is returning to America experienced great difficulty in leaving Kweilin and reaching Wuchow. No boats were available and the City gates were closed. Feeling that it was very urgent to get away Dr. Mewshaw arranged with General Luk Wing-ting, for whose army Dr. Mewshaw had been doing Red Cross work, to open the city gates and allow him to get away with his family. Having made all necessary preparations Dr. Mewshaw found more than 1,000 Chinese who were desirous of coming out the city and solicited his help.

Outside the city gates it was necessary to pass between the firing lines. The soldiers began firing but Dr. Mewshaw crowded his family into an open boat and proceeded toward the enemy lines across the river. Fortunately no harm was done as the firing soon stopped and the soldiers seemed anxious to have some news as to conditions with the enemy inside the city. Carefully searching all the baggage and destroying some letters that were being carried in Chinese character from students inside the city to be mailed to their parents, the party was allowed to proceed.

IN AN OPEN BOAT

Travelling on in an open boat with family and baggage in the rain for 10 miles a boat of larger proportions was finally secured and the journey continued down the river. Arriving at Ping Lok Dr. Mewshaw arranged with the officials to give him an escort of 400 soldiers through the bandit district above Chiu Ping where

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SUNDAY PICTORIAL

The series of reproductions of Chinese art pieces from the extensive collection of Mr. Ivan Dolgorouckoff which have been appearing in THE CHINA PRESS Sunday Pictorial have attracted a good deal of attention. Some uncommonly good picturers of more curios will be found in tomorrow's issue of the Pictorial. There are also a number of interesting pictures from America as well as the latest styles in dress and millinery from Paris.

Chief Figures In News Of The Day

Edge: OLIVER WENDELL HOLMES & ELIHU ROOT
Below: RODMAN WANAMAKER & DR. C. W. ELIOT

Rodman Wanamaker, New York and Philadelphia department store owner, son of the late John Wanamaker, is the heaviest insured man in the world, with policies of $6,000,000, according to the Philadelphia Association of Life Underwriters. The Roosevelt Distinguished Service Medals for service to society have been presented by President Coolidge to Elihu Root, New York Statesman; Associate Justice Oliver Wendell Holmes, of the United States Supreme Court, and Dr. Charles William Eliot, President Emeritus of Harvard University.

Children's Tableaux Are Feature Of '4th' Program

An indication of the rapid growth of the American colony in Shanghai was given yesterday when fully 1,000 Americans turned out to witness the Fourth of July pageant and participate in the general festivities at the Race Course.

The program which started at 5.15, began with selections by the Russian Cadets' Band at 5.30 the entire assemblage joined in the singing of "The Star Spangled Banner," under the leadership of Mr. R. A. Curry.

On a stage erected on the green just in front of the grandstand, and before a backdrop representing the Capitol in Washington, there was enacted one of the most colorful and interesting pagents staged in Shanghai. More than 75 American children took part in the representation of historic incidents in American history past and current, presented through the pleasing medium of Mother Goose rhymes. The tableaux, arranged by Mrs. Gardner Crane, and presented under the direction of the Dramatic Department of the American Woman's Club, reflect great credit upon the originator and producers. The children who took the various parts were all well drilled and in their fantastic and picturesque costumes, made charming pictures and excellent little actors.

TABLEAUX COLORFUL

Shortly after 5.30, Mother Goose played by Mrs. R. I. Clapp made her appearance on the scene. In a tight fitting green dress with billowing skirt and wearing a high pointed black hat, two tive geese tucked under her arms, the famous lady of the nursery rhymes walked across the lawn and upon the stage. After tying up her two quacking steeds she drew back the curtains and the tableaux began.

The first was "Mary, Mary, quite contrary, how does your garden grow." Little Marie Brown, as Mary, the gardener, had such success with her plants that there blossomed in her garden such famous characters as Washington, Howe, Robert Fulton, Henry Morse, Graham Bell, Robert Edison, Lincoln and Susan B. Anthony. These parts were played by the following:

Washington ..... Harry Bernard
Howe (inventor of sewing-machine) ..... Victor Delbargo
Rob't. Fulton (inventor of steam-boat) ..... Hilmar Swan
Henry Morse (inventor of telegraph) ..... Frederick Swan
Graham Bell (inventor of electrical implements) ..... James Hall
Lincoln ..... Rob't. Delbargo
Susan B. Anthony (suffrage agitator) ..... Jane Peter

OTHER RHYMES GIVEN

The other tableaux in the order of their presentation, with their casts were as follows:

Tableau 2: "Little Jack Horner" representing: The Louisiana Purchase.

CAST

President Thomas Jefferson ..... Eugene Pomeroy
Napoleon ..... Livingston Pomeroy

Tableau 3: "Humpty Dumpty"

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KOO IS PICKED TO FORM NEW PEKING CABINET

Lu Cheng-hsiang May Be Sent To Moscow As Minister

(Dah Tong News Bureau)

Peking, July 4.—The name of Wellington Koo will be submitted to the Senate immediately for the formation of a Cabinet. The Government will refrain from submitting the bill for the sanction of the German Drawn Bond Agreement until the anti-government Parliamentarians are subdued

Opinions are divided in the selection of the new minister to Moscow. Some favour the appointment of Lu Cheng-hsiang while others support Pi Kwei-fang with Li Chia au, the present agent in Moscow as Chief Secretary.

Tan Tao-nan, director of the Chuchow-Pinghsian Railway reports to Marshal Wu Pei-fu and Tuchun Hsiao Yao-nan that the Line was washed away in many parts by the recent flood and urges that the Ministry of Communications at once repair the damages.

Your Morning Paper

The attention of regular subscribers is directed to the announcement on page 2, which, it is hoped, will lead to greater efficiency in the Circulation Department and assure punctual delivery of The China Press.

SENATOR RALSTON NOW LOOMS AS POSSIBILITY AT DEMOCRATIC MEET

Three States Switch From McAdoo Column; Deadlock Apparently Unbroken, With Two Leaders Unable To Gain Further Strength

(Reuter's American Service)

New York, July 3.—The chief feature of today's balloting was the switching of three States from Mr. McAdoo's banner, Two of them, Mississippi and Missouri, went solidly in favor of Senator Ralston, who, though still far behind the leaders, is beginning to be regarded in some quarters as the longsought "dark horse." Altogther twelve ballots were taken before the supper adjournment, the last of which gave Mr. McAdoo 427, Governor Smith 320½, Senator Ralston 92 and Mr. Davis 63.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

New York, July 4.—The Democratic Convention adjourned after the 61st ballot. The deadlock is as strong as ever. The Committee will meet again this afternoon to continue balloting until a Presidential candidate is nominated. The Convention has broken the record number of ballots made in Charleston, Baltimore, in 1860 when Douglas was nominated on the 59th ballot. In view of the deadlock the leaders were consulted with regard to amending the rules but the managers of Mr. McAdoo and Governor Smith declined to accede to it. Judge Rockwell on behalf of Mr. McAdoo assailed the "favorite sons" who created the deadlock as constituting "outrageous travesty" but the favorite sons are not concerned in a novel plan to end the deadlock presented by one delegate who suggested that Mr. McAdoo should be nominated President and Governor Smith Vice-President forming a so-called "Protestant Dry, Catholic Wet Ticket."

(BY UNITED PRESS)

New York, July 4.—The deadlock remains unbroken at the sixtieth ballot in the Democratic National Convention and an informal conference is now proceeding in an attempt to break the tie-up. The sixtieth ballot gave McAdoo 469, Smith 335, Ritchie 81, McAdoo on the fifty-eighth ballot polled 495.

MACLAREN WILL LEAVE TODAY ON TRIP TO JAPAN

British World Aviator To Hop Off For Kagoshima This Morning

Squadron-Leader A. Stuart MacLaren, British round-the-world aviator, will hop off from Shanghai to Kagoshima, Japan on the next leg of his attempt to girdle the globe by air at 9 o'clock this morning.

Cheering news came for Squadron-Leader MacLaren and his pilot, Flying Officer W. N. Plenderleith, yesterday, when physicians who have been attending the mechanic of the round-the-world plane, Sergeant R. Andrews, announced that he was recovering nicely from the sunstroke which he had suffered and that he would be able to accompany the others on the flight to Japan. It had been feared that Sergeant Andrews' condition might be such as to force him to remain here and later attempt to rejoin his companion flyers in Japan.

All preparations have been made for the departure this morning. At Black Point, in the Whangpoo, where the Vickers Vulture plane is moored, there was considerable activity yesterday, the aviators going over their plane and refuelling in preparation for the hop across the China Sea. The plans call for the departure of Squadron-Leader MacLaren and Flying Officer Plenderleith at 8 o'clock this morning from the British Consulate-General, where they are guests during their stay in Shanghai. This will get them to Black Point at about 9 o'clock in the morning, and it is believed that they will then hop off for Japan immediately: Messages received by them yesterday from Japan indicate that full preparations had been made by Japanese authorities at Kagoshima to receive the round-the-world plane there.

Squadron-Leader MacLaren and Flying Officer Plenderleith were guests at tiffin at the Shanghai Club yesterday. The affair was of an informal nature, members of the club crowding the clubrooms to congratulate the interpid airmen on their achievements so far and to wish them success on the remainder of their arduous flight. A dinner in their honor was given at the club last night by the R. A. F. Association, and in between there were various official calls and visits made.

Chambers Regret Commons' Stand On Preferences

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 3.—With only half-a-dozen of the delegates voting against it, the Congress of Chambers of Commerce of the Empire has passed and agreed to the resolution moved by Sir Edward Davson, Vice-Chairman of the British Imperial Council of Commerce, regretting the decision of Parliament not to ratify the preferential resolutions of the Imperial Economic Conference and urging the adoption of a liberal and generous inter-Imperial preference as very desirable for furthering Imperial development and and attaining the ideal of eventual freedom of trade within the Empire.

BRITISH FLIER GIVEN OVATION AT THE CARLTON

Flight Officer Received With Cheers By Big Crowd

The spirit of co-operation among British and American residents was exemplified last night at the Carlton when, during the Fourth of July program Flight Officer Plenderleith, of the British round-the-world trip, happened in, with an escort of about fifty British ex-flying men who had been attending the dinner in honor of the fliers at the Shanghai Club.

The crowd had just finished singing "The Star Spangled Banner" when the flying men appeared, Flight Officer Plenderleith ensconced on the shoulder of two of them. The orchestra and crowd immediately burst into "God Save the King" and the big ballroom resounded with cheers.

Shortly after this, at the conclusion of a ballet number in which the entertainers were garbed in flag costumes, the ballet as an encore acted as vanguard for a parade of the flying men, who again bore Plenderleith round the auditorium, to the accompaniment of a tremendous ovation.

Koo Tries In Vain To Dodge Premiership

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 3.—It appears that the mandate appointing Dr. Wellington Koo Talli Premier was issued without his concurrence and that Dr. Koo called on the President this morning with the intention of declining the appointment, pointing out that work at the Waichiaopu was heavy and that the forthcoming Sino-Russian negotiations would make additional calls on his time.

The President, however, insisted that Dr. Koo, as the senior member of the Cabinet, should carry on the affairs of the Premiership. Dr. Koo eventually acquiesced, but requested President Tsao Kun to nominate a new Premier as soon as possible.

AMERICANS AT AMBALLA

(Reuter's Service)

Allahabad, July 3.—The American aviators arrived at Amballa today. One of the planes is suffering from a leaky cylinder. A spare is being despatched from Lahore.

BOWLER CASE IS REMANDED TILL MONDAY

Five charges of obtaining goods under false pretenses were brought against Norman W. Bowler in the British Police Court before Magistrate G. W. King yesterday.

The case was prosecuted by Mr. E. T. Maitland and the accused was unrepresented, though he stated before the noon adjournment that he wished to secure counsel. He reported in the afternoon that he had not been successful in this effort.

The charges against Bowler are that on June 11 he secured from Squires, Bingham and Co. a pair of shoes, valued at $8.50; on June 18, from J. Ullmann and Co., a cigarette case, valued at $60; on June 20, from A. S. Watson and Co., a camera, case and films, valued at $69.60; on June 28 from the Shanghai Horse Bazaar and Motor Co., a Studebaker motor car, valued at Tls. 1,800; on July 1, from the Young Photo Co., a camera, case and films, valued at $50.80.

Mr. Maitland told the Court that the accused had gone to the first three complainants and had used the name of the "Far Eastern Review." In the case of the motor car he had used the name "Bowen," and had given the address 16 Jinkee Road, which is the address of the "Far Eastern Review." The two cameras and the cigarette case had been recovered from pawn and the motor car had been found outside Eddy's Cafe, where Bowler was arrested by Detective Sub-Inspector Hunter, and had been returned to the Horse Bazaar.

Evidence of arrest was given by Detective Sub-Inspector Hunter. The next witness was Mr. W. C. Rea, publisher of "The Asiatic Motor," who stated that Bowler came to him last May and asked for a job. Witness told him that there was nothing for him on the "Far Eastern Review," but on being pressed, told him that he might solicit advertisements and subscriptions for "The Asiatic Motor" or a commission basis. Bowler had never earned any commission, but had the loan of $25 from the witness. He had no authority whatever to use the name of "The Far Eastern Review," as there was no connection between the two papers.

Bowler then intimated that he wished to engage counsel and the case was adjourned until afternoon. When it was resumed Bowler had not been able to engage counsel and Mr. D. S. M. Fraser, manager of the motor department of the Horse Bazaar, was called. He told the Court that the accused had come to the Horse Bazaar in company with a salesman and had promised to pay Tls. 200 deposit and the balance on July 2 for the car. Later he had asked to take the car away and promised the whole sum on July 3, saying that owing to a business transaction he was unable to pay the deposit. Witness understood that the man's name was "Bowen" and that he was a broker.

Mr. G. Anovitch, salesman, gave evidence to the effect that he had arranged the sale to Bowler, whom he called "Bowen." He said that the accused had used this name when applying for a license, spelling it out in block letters. Accused had said he was a broker and had given his address as 16 Jinkee Road. Questioned by Mr. Maitland as to whether he would have let him have the car if he had known his name to be Norman W. Bowler the witness replied that he would not have, as he had read in the papers of a recent court case in which Bowler was involved.

After some further evidence the case was remanded until Monday.

Claims He Is The Oldest American In Philippines

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Manila, June 25.—Captain Benjamin Franklin Taylor, who once was boxing champion of the Asiatic fleet of the United States navy, claims to be the American of longest residence in the Philippine Islands. For a number of years he has held an important position with a shipbuilding concern here. He enlisted in the navy at San Francisco in 1872 and was assigned to the U.S.S. Saranac, on board which he made his first cruise.

After a number of years in the United States navy Taylor took his discharge and entered the Chinese navy as an officer, later participating in the Chinese-Japanese war in 1894. In 1895 he came to Manila where he was employed as a diver when Dewey's fleet entered Manila Bay in 1898.

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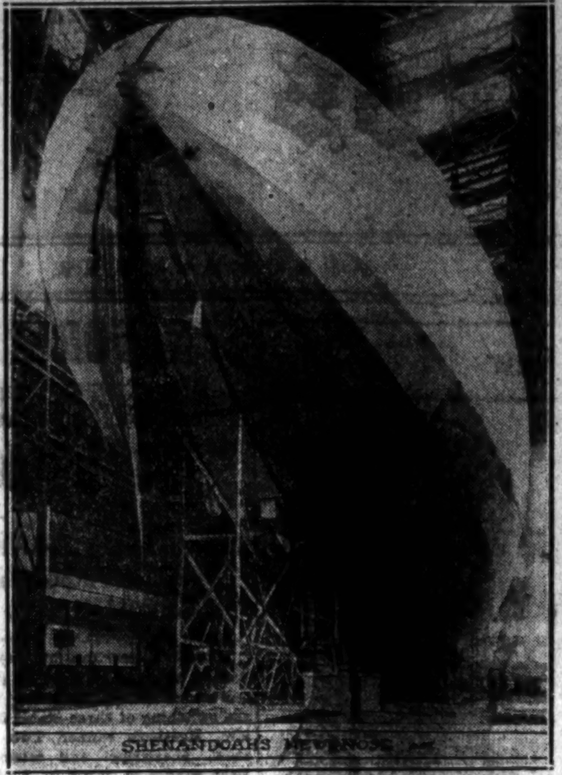

The U. S. S. Shenandoah, world's largest dirigible, which lost her "nose" when she was torn away from her mooring mast at Lakehurst, N. J., by a gale, has been completely repaired and will soon undergo further trial trips.

Our Bremen Letter

A German American's Advice; Big Hamburg Fire; German Shipping; A Vain Appeal; Some Bremen Statistics; A New Stadium

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Bremen, Germany, May 25.—To many people the attitude taken up by the German Nationalists seems the height of folly. It receives encouragement however, from Herman George Scheffauer. This writer who used to contribute spirited articles to the European Press during its short life in Bremen, declares in a recent number of the Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung that thunderous rage and just fury from Germany would impress the world far more deeply than cries for help and shrieks of despair. One is inclined to add that a touch of sweet reasonableness in the extreme parties might not come amiss.

BIG HAMBURG FIRE

A disastrous fire which might have had appalling results, broke out recently in the big warehouse in Hamburg belonging to Karstadt, Crown Cork Works and Lopez Cork store. The warehouse is about 150 meters long and all the Hamburg fire engines were mobilised to cope with the blaze. Some idea of the strength of the fire may be given by the fact that hose throwing from 1800 to 2000 liters a minute played on it for hours before getting it under. Enormous sheaves of blazing corks were thrown into the air the firemen doing their best to prevent these setting the Backhaus benzine warehouse on the opposite side of the canal ablaze. A tremendous explosion in the Lopez cork warehouse sent the roof several yards into the air whence it fell in flaming sheets to the ground. The fire is supposed to have started here, but the actual cause of its outbreak is unknown. Fortunately no lives were lost although the firemen were often in extreme peril.

GERMAN SHIPPING

Recently the Daily Telegraph asserted that Germany was building more tonnage than France, Italy and Norway combined and that her new mercantile fleet would be a dangerous competitor, since the half of German tonnage consists of motor vessels. The Weser Zeitung declares this statement to be exaggerated. It points out that the German tonnage launched in 1923 (358 273 B. reg. T.) represents about half the amount launched ... Great Britain and Ireland in the same year (645,651 tons). While Germany in 1923 built 8 motor vessels of 41,772 tons, England launched in the same year 21 vessels with a total of 87,244 tons. The Weser Zeitung adds that some of Germany's vessels are also built for reparation purposes.

A VAIN APPEAL

The appeal of the German Colonial Society to the League of Nations to intervene on behalf of the restoration of the German colonies has been ineffectual. The League Secretariat declares that the League is not competent to deal with the matter. It is to the signatories of the Versailles Treaty that such a protest must be addressed.

BREMEN STATISTICS

Some people distrust statistics, but if not taken too seriously they are quite entertaining. It is interesting, for instance, to read in the Bremen statistics for March that over 6,000 people were seeking a dwelling of some kind or other. The dry communication that very few of these found what they sought may leave the statistician cold, but anyone who knows what house and flat-hunting means in these days, feels a wave of pity for the disappointed.

Another interesting statistical item has to do with the savings-bank. We learn that savings in February amounted to 454,480 gold marks and that in March they had reached the sum of 551,759 g.m. This means that the man in the street is regaining that confidence in saving which inflation destroyed. There is much bitterness among small investors at the way their savings disappeared under inflation. This is the tragedy of countless existences of the rank and file of the German population. After scraping and denying themselves for their old age, they saw the savings of a lifetime melt to nothing over night.

One more interesting statistical fact about Bremen is that lung disease takes a greater toll of the population than any other disorder. Of the 359 deaths in March, 1924, tuberculosis of the lungs accounted for 46 and inflammation of the lungs for the same number. The Bremen climate—damp, foggy and sunless—is indeed no place for people with respiratory disease.

RECORD SERVICES

Recently Carl Schunemann's printing and publishing establishment gave a festive gathering in honor of 82 members of the staff with long records of service with the firm. Of these eight had served 50-62 years, 13 from 40-50 years, 37 from 30-40 and 24 from 25-30 years. In an age when change is most emphatically our portion here these people seem like the inhabitants of a vanished world.

STADIUM FOR BREMEN

Bremen is keen on erecting a stadium on the Munte for all kinds of sports. In aid of the project the German Cycle and Motor Clubs recently arranged a festive evening in the Parkhaus. There was entertainment of the most varied kind. Past masters in cycling, gymnastics and boxing gave an enthusiastic audience delightful samples of their cunning. There was music, singing and dancing and champagne kept the spirits of the company at the wished-for temperature. Obviously there is money somewhere in Germany.

FELDEN'S BIRTHDAY

A Social Democratic pastor in Germany sounds almost a contradiction in terms. "Liberal" yes, even "Democratic" he may be and remain respectable, but for the average German, Social Democrat has almost disreputable associations. A Pastor a Social Democrat. Well, Bremen has one in Emil Felden a successor of the liberal theologian Kalthoff in the Mortini Church. So well has he understood how to gain the respect of the town that even bourgeois papers—which have no love for Social Democrats—spare space for congratulating him on his 50th birthday. Felden is an active, eager nature, not hide-bound by shibboleths. In his novels and other works he has revealed ideas which have helped many. Natures like his are to the narrow Puritan type a stumblingblock. It is to minds with a wider horizon, minds striving to burst the bonds of tradition that Felden has a mission.

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Mrs. Belva Gaertner, Chicago divorcee, called the prettiest woman ever placed in the Cook County jail, has been acquitted of killing Walter Law, a married man, whom she was charged with shooting in a "one gun duel" in his automobile as the climax of a drinking orgy.

Street-Car Crews In Osaka Strike

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, July 3.—The street-car drivers and conductors went on strike here tonight.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Osaka, July 4.—The street-car strike is not authorised by the labor union. The cars were today run by overseers and men under training. At noon the number of cars operating was 150 against the usual 550. The police raided the car-sheds early this morning and arrested a number of the strike leaders. The Municipal Council is holding a meeting this afternoon to consider the measures to be taken.

Recently there have been several suburban tramcar strikes, the men demanding higher wages and better treatment on the ground that the companies are maintaining high dividends and high tariffs in spite of the lower cost of coal. The Hanshin strike between Osaka and Kobe has been on since June 28, but cars are running in greatly reduced numbers. There are signs that the strike is spreading to Kyoto.

To Investigate Conservancy Work

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 1.—Mr Chang Yao-kuei, President of the National Conservancy Bureau, in a recent memorial stated he would shortly have to leave Peking as his presence was required at Nanking to investigate conservancy work there. Mr. Chang, therefore asked permission for Mr. Chen Chieh, Vice-President of the Bureau, to take charge in Peking during his absence. The President's approval appears in the official gazette today.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 1.—The Cabinet meeting today decided to instruct the Ministry of Finance to raise $150,000 for the Yungting River conservancy.

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MISSIONARY IN THRILLING ESCAPE FROM KWEILIN

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the Stout Memorial Hospital motor-boat "Roanoke" was recently pirated and the four missionaries kidnapped.

Arriving at Chiu Ping Dr. Mewshaw approached the officials regarding the release of Mr. E. H. Carne who is still held by the robbers in the mountains. The Chiu Pang officials promise Mr. Carne's release within one week saying that they had raised $4,000, and the bandits were demanding $6,000. Interviewing General Shum Hung-ying before leaving Ping Lok, Dr. Mewshaw received promise that Mr. Carne would be released within three days.

Dr. Mewshaw confirms the death of the Rev. J. R. Cunningham at Kweilin on April 26. He was struck in the head by a stray rifle bullet fired from the mountain tops by the soldiers of General Shum Hung-ying. It is stated that it was impossible for the shot to have been intended for Mr. Cunningham. During the seige General Luk mounted old cannons on the walls and fired them continuously. General Shum fired 200 3-inch shells into the city. These are supposed to have been furnished by General Wu Pei-fu. Dr. Mewshaw exhibited one 3-inch shell that failed to explode but struck one of the girls in the Baptist Mission School killing her instantly.

During the seige good order was maintained by General Luk inside the City and every consideration extended to the foreign missionaries. The opinion is expressed that the seige of Kweilin will continue for a long period of time. General Luk is hoping for help from Governor Ma Chi of Hunan and General Shum Hung-ying is receiving his ammunition from the Canton government through Wuchow.

There are now 15 foreign missionaries left in Kweilin. These are Bishop and Mrs. John Holden, Miss Plin, Mrs. Bacon and Miss Watkin of the Church Missionary Society, Dr. and Mrs. E. Dargan Smith and child, Mr. and Mrs. Bausum and Miss Mattie Vie Summer of the American Southern Baptist Mission, Mr. Oldfield, Mr. and Mrs. Lump and Miss Oppelt of the Christian and Missionary Alliance.

FOOD NEARLY GONE

The food supply of the foreign missionaries in the beleaguered city of Kweilin, is about exhausted and while they are very desirous of getting out at the earliest possible moment, conditions are too uncertain and the risk too great at the present time for them to attempt it. It is highly necessary that relief and rescue be affected as quickly as possible. Dr. Mewshaw further reports that the sanitary conditions within the city of Kweilin are becoming very bad and an epidemic is likely to break out at any moment during the hot weather now being experienced.

Dr. Mewshaw reports that food supplies are very scarce in the City of Kweilin and the livelihood of the people depends upon the rice that is distributed once a day by the order of General Luk Wing-ting.

It took Dr. Mewshaw and his party 13 days to make the journey from Kweilin to Wuchow. Ordinarily at this season of the year when the water is high the trip can be made in three or four days. Dr. Mewshaw travelled in a very small row boat which was covered with bamboo mats and exhibited no Foreign Flag as he felt it would call attention to the fact that there were foreigners on board and tempt the robbers to meddle! !

Guano Deposits Found In Islands

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Manila, June 25.—The discovery of guano deposits in the province of Cebu which are easily acessible by land and sea is expected to increase the use of fertilizer not only on sugarcane plantations but in other lines of agriculture. Experts in the use of fertilizers assert that with the opening of the Cebu deposits and the comparative low cost of marketing the product agriculturists will be justified in increasing the use of guano.

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RUSSIAN PRINCE WORKS FOR UNCLE SAM.

Vladimir Vladimirovich, exiled Russian nobleman, is in Washington, working on a device to perfect steel for use in gun barrels. He is employed by the Bureau of Standards and is shown at his daily laboratory task.

Children's Tableaux Are Feature Of '4th' Program

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representing: The emancipation of the slaves.

CAST

Slavery — Beltram Hubbard
Southerners — Richard Clark, Dorothy Davis, Rachel Hall
Northerners — Carroll Booth, Margaret Peters, Clayton Anderson

Tableau 4: "To Market, To Market" representing: The Purchase of Alaska from the Russians by the U. S. A.

CAST

Uncle Sam — Harry Bernard
Russians — Winston Clark, Barbara Bernard
Miners — Katherine Pomeroy, Katherine Corbett

Tableau 5: "Little Miss Muffett" representing: The acquisition of Cuba from Spain by the U. S. A.

CAST

Miss Muffett (Spain) — Martha Powell
Spider (U. S. A.) — Eva Grace Davis
Ragamuffin (Cuba) — Evelyn Morris

Tableau 6: "I Love Little Pussy" representing: The political view toward Woman Suffrage.

CAST

Elephant (Republicans) — Anna Kelhoffer
Donkey (Democrats) — Marion Gray
Cat (Suffrage) — Miriam Hall

Tableau 7: "Jack Sprat" representing: The effect of the conflict of Capital and Labor upon the public.

CAST

Jack Sprat — Chas. Boynton
Jack Sprat's wife, Harriet Corbett

Tableau 8: "Pussy Cat, Pussy Cat, Where Have You Been?" representing: Henry Ford's mission to Europe on the Peace Ship.

CAST

Henry Ford — William Jones

Tableau 9: "Sing a Song of Sixpence" representing: The defeat of Kaiser Wilhelm and Germany, in the great World War by 24 allied nations.

CAST

Emperor Wilhelm — Paul Mann
Allied Nations — Dorothy Davis, Frederick Swan
Justine Brown — Ruth McCracken
Bobby Brown — Nona Burke
Charlotte Kingsbury — Victor Delbargo
Jacqueline Terry — Ruth Case
Harold Morris — Charles Case
Dorothy Upson, Carolyn Chaloner
Carrol Booth — Kathleen Fagen
Audrey Booth — Lorna Fagen
Bertrand Hubbard — Dorothy Lane
Richard Clark — Margaret Peters
Rachel Hall — Jane Hall

Tableau 10: "Sulky Sue" representing: The attitude of the Phillipine Islands toward the U. S. A.

CAST

U. S. A. — Mary Swan
Phillippine Islands — Charlotte Kingsbury

Tableau 11: "Hey Diddle Diddle" representing: The "Teapot Dome" oil scandal.

CAST

Cat (Republicans) — William Hall
Dog (Democrats) — Joseph McCracken
Dish (Tea-pot Dome Co.) — Everett Roberts
Spoon (Oil) — Ricardo McCloskey
Cow (U. S. Senate) — Hollis Peters, George Henderson

Tableau 12: "Coffee and Tea" representing: The lack of harmony between the U. S. A. and Mexico.

CAST

Coffee (U. S. A.) — Bunny Powell
Tea (Mexico) — Audrey Booth

Tableau 13: "Peter Piper" representing: The Modern tax burden upon the American public.

CAST

Peter Pipe — Lilian Gould
Income Tax — Helen Gunn
State Tax — Maude Gray
School Tax — Paul Mann
Land Tax — Jane Peter
Inheritance Tax — Marian Gary
Water Tax — Joseph McCracken
City Tax — Mary Swan
Food — Bobby Brown
Clothing — Jacqueline Terry
Rent — Miriam Hall
Fuel — Marie Brown
Amusement — Anna Kelhofer

Tableau 14 "Who Killed Cock Robin" representing: Prohibition and the death of John Barleycorn.

CAST

Judge (Future History) — Joseph McCracken
Sparrow (W. C. T. U.) — Bobby Brown
Fly (Grape growers) — Dorothy Upson
Fish (Bootlegger) — Walter Black
Owl (Pussy-foot Johnson) — Chris. Morris
Rook (The Law) — Hilmar Swan
Dove (chief mourner (Drunkard) — Marie Brown
Thrush (The Church) — Barbara Bernard
Bull (Office Seeker) — Charles Boynton

FIREWORKS DISPLAY

After the tableaux there was a display of daylight fireworks which delighted the numerous children in the audience, as well as the grown-ups. After the pyrotechnic outburst tables were arranged and the various members of the American community who had brought baskets with them enjoyed a picnic supper in the dusk. Other fireworks were shown continuously during the spread, and at 8 p.m. movies, through the courtesy of the Peacock Motion Pictures Corporation, were thrown on a screen in the open air.

Many prominent Americans were present at the festivities, including Consul-General and Mrs. E. S. Cunningham, Judge Milton D. Purdy, Mr. Stirling Fessenden, chairman of the Municipal Council, Major C. P. Holcomb, chairman of the lawn party committee, Dr. Anne Walter Fearn, and others. There were also many representatives of other nationalities present.

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Concession Envoy Goes To Capital

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, July 1.—Mr. Shen Tze-liang, Commissioner of Foreign Affairs in Hupeh, has sent a delegate (Mr. Shen Jen-kun) to Peking to discuss with the Government matters connected with the former Russian Concession in Hankow. It is reported that Mr. Shen Tze-liang is submitting to the Government proposals for the future administration of the concession with a view to permanent settlement of such questions as municipal control and regulations.

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News Brevities

The British Women's Association is certainly to be congratulated upon adding to its personnel Miss Evelyn Heaton-Smith, who has just been appointed to the secretaryship and who brings to her post a most interesting and varied experience. Holding the M.A. degree of London University, Miss Heaton-Smith spent 11 years on the staff of the Royal Library at Windsor Castle and during the war served as one of the secretaries to the Scottish Women's Hospital at Salonika, later on carrying out secretarial work in the Intelligence Department at G.H.Q. in Constantinople. On her return to England, Miss Heaton-Smith re-entered the Royal Service, acting as Secretary to H.R.H. Princess Mary at the time of her engagement and marriage and later on to H.R.H. the Duke of York when an additional secretary was needed in connection with his wedding. Miss Heaton-Smith, a keen lover of travel, came out to China a few months ago to stay with her brother, Mr. E. B. Heaton-Smith, who has lived in Shanghai for many years past.

Congratulations are tendered by the B.W.A. to Mrs. John Snodgrass, who recently resigned the secretaryship, on her engagement to Mr. H. S. Wavell.

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We are advised by the Japanese Consulate-General that, effective on and after October 1, 1924, the consular fee for a visa of a passport has been revised as follows: U.S.A. Y.20; Germany, Y. 15; France, Y.10; Mexico, Y.8; others, Y.4.

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Dr. Harris E. Kirk, of Baltimore, a favorite Conference speaker in America, who is visiting various assemblies in China this summer, will begin his tour at Mokanshan from July 16-21. It is expected that Dr. McInniss will be at Mokanshan from August 8-11. Dr. McInniss was formerly Professor of the Philosophy of Religion at Syracuse and is now connected with the Bible Institute at Los Angeles.

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Considerable excitement has been caused in Changsha by a band of 17 robbers who are said to have fled from the Wusih district to Changsha. Three of them, two men and a woman, were arrested in the latter part of last month. On the person of one were three revolvers when he was apprehended and the other two had two and one, respectively. The other fourteen are causing terror not only in the country but in the city as well, according to word just received from our Changsha correspondent.

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The engagement is announced of Mr. Zu Bin-tong to Miss Zing Tsung-lok, a graduate of McTyeire's this year. Miss Lok, as chairman of the Student Council and Art Editor of her College Annual, is prominent as well as popular in various fields of activity. Mr. Tong graduated from St. John's before he went to the United States, where he specialised in transportation in the University of Pennsylvania, and as captain of the 'varsity football team, he was well known as an all-round athlete. He is now connected with the Tientsin-Pukow Railway.

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The Sansovino ticket in the Calcutta Sweep is held by Captain Burman, a partner in a prominent firm of hunting party outfitters and estate agents at Nairobi. He previously sold half his share to a syndicate in Calcutta for Rs. 30,000. He bought five tickets. Interviewed, he said he intended remaining in business. Mr. Harcourt Johnstone, M. P., and a friend drew St. Germans in the Calcutta Sweep and sold his share for £3,000. Mr. McLean, an exclerk of the National Bank of India, sold half his share on Diophon for £5,000.

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The Tsingtao Administration has prepared a set of dog resolutions which will be put into effect in the immediate future. No canines will be permitted to run wild and owners will be required to register and tag their dogs.

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Haji Muhammed, known as Lawrence Clarke and Honolulu Kid, has been arrested in Mukden on a warrant from Tientsin, charged with larceny and false pretences. He will be taken to Tientsin for trial.

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Minister Yoshizawa is reported to have encountered a stumbling block at the conference with the Tokio War and Navy Office authorities, who refuse to withdraw troops from Northern Saghalien unless oil concession in the territory has been fully acquired.

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The ignorance of the average Briton at Home regarding British possessions abroad is proverbial. Sir Hugh Clifford tells a good story illustrating this ignorance. It concerns a member of the House of Commons who, during the time of a Burmese expedition, exclaimed: "Burma! I had a brother there once, but he called it Burmuda!"

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In spite of the great emphasis which China's delegate to the League of Nations places on its role in the League, it now transpires that the Chinese Government finds great difficulty in making good its membership dues. The Ministry of Finance, being unable to find the money for the purpose, is now complaining about the burden being too heavy for the Chinese Government. It is not yet known whether the Ministry of Finance will make a formal request to the Powers—or to the League of Nations—for a reduction of China's membership dues. Perhaps this has to be made by another department of the Government, the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, if it is to be made at all, remarks the *P. and T. Times*.

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By order of the Generalissimo, Tsen Kuei-jui, a Chinese resident in Mexico, who was on home leave in Canton, was shot on June 21. He was charged with having instigated the Mexican Government to expel the Kuomintang members.

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The young lady who was born on the Underground has only herself to blame if she finds herself named accordingly (says the London Observer). Loo Baker, or at least Loo, seems to be indicated. Neither Tuba nor Elephanta is quite gallant, or quite appropriate to a lady of tender age and diminutive proportions. There is, however, always the possibility of a string of T. U. B. T. initials. Or there is Electra, which would enable Lord Ashfield to superimpose his blessing on that of Herrick.

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For attempting to snatch a handbag from a Russian woman in Boundary Lane Thursday evening a Chinese was sentenced to one month's imprisonment at the Mixed Court yesterday.

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The proprietor of an opium den at 54 Chekiang Road was given a month's imprisonment at the Mixed Court yesterday, while 11 smokers, arrested when the place was raided, failed to appear and forfeited $5 bail each.

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Prison sentences and sizeable fines were imposed by the Mixed Court yesterday in the case of seven men and a woman who were charged with aiding and abetting in the sale of opium at 336 Avenue Edward VII. Two of the men go to jail for three months, and the woman for one month while five were fined $50 each. Considerable quantity of opium and money seized by the police was ordered confiscated.

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The American Returned Students' Club will give a tea this afternoon at five o'clock at the clubhouse, p 60 Nanking Road, in honor of the players and staff of the Shanghai Stage Society, which recently put on the English Comedy, "Lady Windermere's Fan," at the Olympic under the patronage of the club.

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Dr. Carlton Lacy will preach at the morning service of Community Church, at the Columbia Country Club, tomorrow and there will be special music by Signor Giuolo Ronconi, accompanied at the piano by Mr. Koletz. The evening service, at 5.30 o'clock, will be addressed by Rev. A. N.Rowland at Union Church. During July and August the afternoon service will be a union service, Mr. Rowland taking the services for July and Rev. Drury for August.

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There was a considerable stir of excitement near the corner of Jukong and North Szechuen Road Thursday night when a raiding party of Chapei police, assisted by soldiers, rounded up 14 alleged bandits in a gambling house and fired a number of shots before the capture was effected. No one was injured. The police had information that a party of armed men were in the gambling house. The men arrested will be prosecuted by the Chinese authorities.

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Mrs. Peyton-Grimm left Shanghai this morning in the Nagasaki Maru on her way to Tokio, where she will establish a branch office for her firm.

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Pirates Continue To Be Great Menace At Canton

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Hongkong, June 29.—Because of disaffection in his army, General Tan Yenkai, commanding the Hunanese Army in Kwangtung, has tendered his resignation to Dr. Sun Yat-sen. Owing to lack of food supplies and ammunition from Canton a division of Hunanese under General Sun Hsueh-chin on the East River front recently concluded a temporary armistice with one of General Chen Chiung-ming's divisions opposing it, thus causing General Tan no little embarrassment, including charges of turning traitor to Dr. Sun.

The possible withdrawal of the Hunanese, it is believed, will have no great effect on Dr. Sun's strength on the eastern front as he still has six other commanders in the field. No. Cantonese troops are taking part in the operations on this front against Waichow, the forces being composed of Hunanese, Yunnanese, Kwangsiites and Honanese.

The Yunnanese troops, who consider the North River districts as their special sphere of influence, are alarmed at the intention of General Hsu Chung-chi to detach his Cantonese troops there on the pretext that Northern troops are invading Kwangtung by way of Nanyung from Kiangsi.

In order that there may not be too many unofficial armed organisations in Kwangtung, the Civil Governor has refused to sanction the provision by merchants of armed escorts for their goods coming into Canton by land or sea. Transport of goods is greatly endangered by brigandage and piracy and it is stated that there are still 28 mutinous gunboats at large, interfering with lawful trade. Most of the tow-boats, plying between Canton and the ports of Tungkun, Heungshan and the Szeyap districts, have suspended service pending more effective protection against pirates.

This interference with trade along the principal rivers and the rising cost of living owing to the war taxes are affecting all classes, especially the poorer and working classes. At the present time, in addition to the masons and carpenters, the skilled silk weavers, to the number of more than 4,000, and the Chinese Pen-Brush makers in Canton and the vicinity are striking for higher wages, some demanding an increase of 35 and others 50 percent.

Deferring to the request of the Canton Press Association, the Chief of Police has finally withdrawn his censor's from the publishing offices. On June 26. The editors made a joint declaration refusing further to submit their copy to the censors and themselves assuming full responsibility for what appeared in print. The reason for the declaration was that the censors had over-stepped their authority, which at the beginning was to suppress all news of military operations unfavourable to Dr. Sun. Later that went so far as editing and colouring news, and permitting some newspapers and forbidding others to insert identical reports.

The much postponed grand review of the Kwangtung Provincial Gendarmerie, the Canton Police and the Canton Merchants Volunteer Corps by Dr. Sun finally took place on the North Parade Ground on June 29. The foreign Consuls, local officials and leading citizens were invited to be present. Some 600 volunteers took part in the review and the presentation of colors to their corps. The streets were decorated with flags, and crowds cheered the volunteers as they marched through the streets.

After a period of three months from July 1 all real estate, the owners of which have failed to present their title-deeds for inspection and paid the fee of three percent of the value, will be confiscated, according to an official announcement. It is understood that a majority of property owners have not yet taken notice of the order. The 72 villages south of the city in Honam have made a joint declaration that every lot within their jurisdiction is a private holding and that they will oppose any who treat their property as public lands. It is not believed in Canton that the matter will be pushed too far by the officials. On a protest by the citizens of Fatshan recently, Dr. Sun's men returned more than 200 buildings and grounds to their former owners.

Tuan Honored On Occasion Of His Noted Victory

(*Dah Tong News Bureau*)

Tientsin, July 4.—Representatives of various organisations called on Marshal Tuan Chi-jui last night and expressed their appreciation for the latter's accomplishments at the Machang Campaign. Tuan merely met the callers without making any statements. His son, Tuan Tsing-liang entertained the guests.

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Stabbed For Declining To Join 'Brotherhood'

Exhibiting a stab wound in the leg, a Chinese named Tsung Yuh-piau appeared in the Mixed Court yesterday to prosecute a shopkeeper named Liau Ching-hai.

"He wanted to form a "Brotherhood of 36,'" stated the complainant, "each member to pay him $1. When I refused to join he called me to a teashop in Kashing Road, started fight and stabbed me."

"He stabbed himself," declared the accused. "He has been molesting my wife and I invited him to the teashop to discuss the matter. There he started a fight, knifed himself in the leg and then laid this charge against me."

Liau was sent to jail for two months.

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Shanghai Wins Annual Game From Navy Team, But Loses To Japanese

Opening Contest Fairly Easy, But Final Provides Numerous Thrills; Many Brilliant Plays Feature Double-Header

There was lots of action out at the Race Course yesterday afternoon when the "Gallopers" split even in a double-header, taking the special Fourth of July fracas from an All-Navy team by a 3 to 2 score and losing by a 5 to 2 count in the tilt with the crack South Manchurian Railway team.

But most of the action was furnished by the big holiday crowd and most of it contered around one Hirota, an alleged umpire who called 'em like his spectacles were encrusted with the dust of centuries. So far as the home boys were concerned there was mighty little action that resembled baseball and in the latter contest, particularly, they put up their poorest display of the year, including perfect absence of co-ordination in fielding, weak pitching and absolute futility with the stick.

Following the first game, Judge Cornell S. Franklin, acting as Master of Ceremonies, presented to the Shanghai team the handsome silver cup which by virtue of their victory will repose in the American Club until another "Glorious Fourth" rolls around. Shanghai's win yesterday broke a tie in the number of victories in contests for the cup, both Navy and Shanghai teams having won the cup four times in the eight previous years in which it has been contested for. The trophy was received by Captain Jerry Thatch with a modest speech that nobody heard and everybody applauded.

POOR COMBINATION

Griffith was on the mound for the sailors and apparently was disheartened by the breaking up of his Elcano team and the substitution of a misfit combination drafted from that ship and the Hulburt, for he had little on the ball, yielding seven solid blows in the seven innings to which the contest was limited.

Shanghai also had a make-shift combination in the field, but the subs were swiftly yanked when a situation developed where runs looked possible and the regulars were shoved in to do the heavy work.

The locals tallied first, shoving over two counters in the fourth. "Buck" Taylor singled with one out, took third on Wall's one-base blow and tallied on Howland's infield out. With Wall on second, Kingman was inserted to pinch hit for Bristow and crashed a two-bagger to right conter, scoring the runner. Tavares singled, but he and Kingman were left when Maloney, hitting for Wynne, struck out.

The "gobs" evened the count in the half of the fifth. With one out Soulaki drew a walk. Brothers fanned, but Soulaki scored and Norgren was safe at second when "Buck" Taylor ran over into conterfield and tried to take a high fly out of the hands of "Hudford" Taylor, although the latter was all set for the catch, dropping the ball.

Shanghai came back in the sixth. Tinkham was safe at first on an error by Bouvier, went to second on a perfect sacrifice bunt by Bullard and scored when "Buck" Taylor drove out his second single. Wall also hit a second time, but both runners were left when Howland popped up weakly.

LOSE TO JAPANESE

The locals started off auspiciously in their game with the Japanese, Bullard crashing out a lusty triple to open the affair and scoring on Howland's infield out.

In the fifth the "Gallopers" got their other tally on a single and steal of second by Tavares and a one-base smack by Bullard.

Three errors by Howland in a single inning allowed the Japanese to even matters in the third. Bill muffed Hokida's grounder to start. Sanada rapped another one down at the third baseman and he handled it perfectly, tossing the pitcher out at first, but on a beautiful return peg by Kingman muffed the ball and allowed Hikida to score. Masuda flied to second. Howland made his third break next in a run-up play between second and third when he made a futile grab at a ball, thrown by Bullard to catch the runner heading back for third and just deflected it enough so that it struck "Hudford" Taylor square in the pit of the stomach and put him down for the count.

Another Japanese run came over in the fifth on two singles and a sacrifice and in the following inning "Hudford" blew up as high as the Fourth of July bombs that were being set off. Iwata singled and Abeshi walked, both advancing on Tamura's sacrifice bunt. "Hudford" filled the paths by passing Hikida and then forced over the tally by issuing a free ticket to Nakazawa.

Clair took up the burden at this point and he had little of his usual stuff, although errors figured largely in the two runs for which the visitors nicked him, one of them his own, chalked up when he hit a man going to first in the middle of the back with a peg to Kingman. Hikida singled to left and "Buck" Taylor let the ball roll through him, the runner crossing the plate.

To cinch the contest the Manshus put over another in the final frame on three successive singles.

BOX SCORES

The box scores follow:

FIRST GAME

All-Navy		AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bouvier,	3b	3	0	1	1	1	1
Swaid,	rf	3	0	0	2	0	1
Jenkins,	c	3	0	0	4	0	0
Lisk,	1b	2	0	1	9	0	1
Griffith,	P	3	0	1	1	3	0
Moon,	1b	3	0	0	0	0	0
Souiski,	2b	2	1	1	0	4	1
Brothers,	cf	3	0	0	0	0	0
Norgren,	ss	3	1	0	1	0	0
Totals		25	2	4	18	8	4
Shanghai							
Bullard,	ss	3	0	0	3	3	1
A. Taylor,	1b, cf	3	0	0	3	0	0
C. Taylor,	lf	3	1	2	3	1	1
Wall,	c	3	1	2	4	0	0
Howland,	3b	3	0	0	1	1	0
Bristow,	cf	1	0	0	1	0	0
Kingman,	1b	2	0	2	3	0	0
Tavares,	2b	2	0	1	0	0	0
Crovelling,	rf	0	0	0	1	0	0
Wynne,	rf	1	0	0	2	0	0
Maloney,	2b	1	0	0	0	1	0
Tinkham,	p	3	1	0	0	0	0
Scott		1	0	0	0	0	0
Thach		1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals		27	3	7	21	6	2

Batted for Crevelling in the sixth.

Batted for Maloney in the sixth.

SCORE BY INNINGS

All-Navy	0 0 0 0 2 0 0	—2
Shanghai	0 0 0 2 1 0 x	—3

SUMMARY

Stolen Bases, Soulski, Thach Tavares 2; Sacrifice Hit, Bullard; 2b Hits, Soulski, Kingman; Double Play, Howland to Bullard to A. Taylor; Struck Out, by Griffith 3, by Tinkham 3; Bases on Balls, off Tinkham 2, off Griffith 0; Umpires, O'Brien (plate), Murphy (bases).

SECOND GAME

Manshu		AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Nakazawa,	ss	4	1	1	2	0	0
Masuda,	cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Sakamoto,	3b	3	1	2	0	2	1
Kashi,	2b	5	0	1	1	1	1
Iwata,	lf	5	1	3	3	0	0
Aboshi,	rf	2	0	0	0	1	0
Tamura,	c	4	1	0	9	0	0
Hikida,	1b	3	1	2	8	1	0
Sanada,	p	3	0	0	2	3	0
Totals		33	5	9	27	8	2
Shanghai							
Bullard,	ss	4	1	2	2	7	0
Howland,	3b	3	0	0	0	3	3
Thach,	3b	1	0	0	0	1	1
Kingman,	1b	4	0	1	12	2	0
Scott,	rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Maloney,	2b	4	0	1	5	1	0
C. Taylor,	lf	3	0	0	1	1	1
Stark,	cf	3	0	0	1	0	0
A. Taylor,	p	2	0	0	0	2	0
Clair,	p	2	0	1	1	0	1
Tavares,	c	2	1	1	3	0	0
Wall,	c	1	0	1	1	0	0
Bristow		1	0	0	0	0	0
Jenkins		1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals		35	2	7	27	17	6

SCORE BY INNINGS

Manshu	0 0 1 0 1 1 0 1 1	—5
Shanghai	1 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0	0—2

SUMMARY

Stolen Bases, Nakazawa, Sakamoto, Iwata Aboshi 2, Stark Tavares, Scott 2; Sacrifice Hits, Bullard; Double Play, Bullard to Maloney; Hits, off Sanada 7 in 9 innings, off A. Taylor 5 in 6 innings, off Clair 3 in 3 innings; Struck Out, by Sanada 7, by A Taylor 2; Bases on Balls, off A. Taylor 5; Hit by Pitcher, by Clair (Sanada); Umpires, Hirota (plate), and O'Brien and Hud-

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KID LEWIS HOLDS WELTERWEIGHT TITLE IN LONDON

Champion Defeats Johnny Brown, Of Hamilton, On Points

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 3.—In a boxing contest tonight at the Albert Hall for the Welterweight Championship of Britain Kid Lewis, the holder, beat Johnny Brown of Hamilton on points.

Brown was doing most of the attacking in the early rounds and doing well at long range work. There was a good deal of clinching and Lewis was warned for holding. The Londoner improved from the fifth round and scored with a good variety of blows. He established a lead on points at the half-way stage. In the eleventh Brown got home several lefts to the face and a right swing to the jaw. There were several sharp rallies towards the end. Lewis won by a narrow margin.

Baseball Results

(*Reuter's American Service*)

New York, July 3.—Baseball.

National League

Boston 5, Brooklyn 6.
Chicago 4, Cincinnati 3.

American League

Philadelphia 10, New York 5.
Detroit 3, Chicago 7.
Cleveland 10, St. Louis 16.

Cricket Line-Up

S.C.C. 2nd XI vs. S.R.C. 2nd XI

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Hagen---Sarazen Defeat Frenchmen

(*Reuter's Service*)

Chantilly, July 3.—Hagen and Sarazen, the Americans, defeated the leading French professionals, Massy and Gassiat, in a 36-hole four-ball golf match here today by 2 up and 1 to play, for stakes of 10,000 francs.

Recs Bowlers To Play Yangtzsepoo

The Shanghai Recreation Club will play the Yangtszepoo Lawn Bowls Club at Wayside Park today at 4 p.m. The following have been selected to play for the S.R.C.:

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A. Eek (skip), J. E. Wheeler, S. Shirvington, T. Veitch.

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WILLIAMS, U. S. TENNIS STAR, IS PUT OUT OF PLAY

American Loses To Brilliant Frenchman, La Coste

(*Reuter's Service*)

Wimbledon, July 3.—The weather was cool and cloudy and there was a moderate attendance at the resumption of the Lawn Tennis Championships today.

Lacoste opposed Williams in the first semifinal. The Frenchman's positioning and footwork were superior. He took the first set 6-1, Williams frequently returning into the net. In the second set the American improved, driving and volleying delightfully. He won the set 6-3, Lacoste led 4-2 in the third set, when rain interrupted the game. The match was resumed later, and Lacoste won 6-1, 3-6, 6-3, 6-3. The attendance was sparse after the interval. Williams made a great effort to retrieve his position, but Lacoste was tenacious and drove very accurately and hard, while the American made an unusual number of double faults.

Borotra won from Raymond in the other semifinal without having to extend himself. Raymond was plucky, but was handicapped by an injured ankle. The score was 6-2, 6-4, 7-5.

In the semifinals of the Ladies' Doubles, Mrs. Covell and Miss McKane beat Mrs. Lambert Chambers and Mrs. Shepherd-Barron 6-4, 3-6, 6-4, and Miss Wills and Mrs. Wightman beat Miss Goss and Mrs. Jessup 6-8, 6-4.

South Africans All Out For 299

(*Reuter's Service*)

Bradford, July 3.—The match between Yorkshire and the South Africans was resumed today in dull and threatening weather before a small attendance. The wicket was good. There was a ten minutes' interruption for rain before lunch and rain fell during luncheon. The South Africans were all out for 279. Nourse made 68 in 90 minutes by magnificent driving and powerful cutting. He hit eleven 4s. Taylor made 79 in 175 minutes. He hit ten 4s. He started cautiously but afterwards batted brightly. The innings took 4 hours and 35 minutes. Macaulay took 6 wickets for 66. Rain then fell and there was no play after tea.

American Polo Team Wins At Paris

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, July 3.—The United States beat Britain in the Olympic Polo Competition by 10 goals to 2.

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3—Two Motives from the "Suite Kiserienne" . . . Saint-Saens
(a) Reverie du soir.
(b) Marche Militaire Francaise.
INTERVAL
4—(a) Prelier, "Lohengrin" . . . .
(b) Cral Knights March, "Parsifal" . . . . . Wagner
5—Marche Hongroise from "La Damnation de Faust" . . . . . Berlioz
Conductor: Maestro Mario Paci.

British Paper Applauds China Stand On Loans

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 4.—Commenting on the Chinese Government's decision to resume full service of loans, the Manchester Guardian says that the action of certain Governments in continuing from motives of self-interest to turn a blind eye on the Treaty concluded four years ago is not an inspiring example of financial morality and it is a good thing that China for her part has now seen fit to bring the episode to an end.

Sun And Chen Are Still At Outs

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, July 1.—The Chen Pao publishes a special telegram from Hongkong, dated June 30, which reports that the efforts to bring about an agreement between Dr. Sun Yat-sen and General Chen Chiung-ming have ended in failure. The message says that at a conference at Haifeng General Chen supported the establishment of a provincial administration at Chaochowfu, where General Yeh Lieu has established the office of Civil Governor, while General Lin Hu has established himself as Tuli at Kweishin. General Hung Chow-lin meanwhile has established his headquarters as Military Commission at Swatow. Some details in connection with these posts remain to be completed, and then the Central Government will be informed of the assumption of office of the officials appointed by mandate for Kwangtung last month.

Russian Spies To Be Put To Death

(*Reuter's Service*)

Leningrad, July 3.—The notorious espionage trial, known as "The Case of Thirteen," has ended in seven of the accused being sentenced to death, including Koni, the nephew of the Liberal statesman and commander of a mine-layer, while Miss Skalon, a sister of charity and daughter of the ex-Viceroy of Poland has been sentenced to ten years' imprisonment for complicity.

Wales Departs For The Olympic Games

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 4.—The Prince of Wales as Honorary President of the British Olympic Association and Prince Henry left for Paris this morning to attend the opening of the Olympic Games.

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above: DUCHESS of WESTMINSTER & EDNA WALLACE HOPPER
Below: EDWARD PAYSON WESTON & SIR ADAM BECK

Edna Wallace Hopper, rejuvenated actress, announced in Los Angeles, that she is soon to marry a British Army officer in China. She declined to give his name, declaring she had "lost a couple that way." Sir Adam Beck, chairman of the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, Canada, is leading the attack on the right of Chicago to take so much water from Lake Michigan for the sanitary district of Chicago, said to be an encroachment on the rights of Canada and the State of New York. It is estimated the diverted water causes a loss of 500,000 electric horsepower. The Duchess of Westminster, wife of England's richest peer, is said to be seeking a divorce in London because her husband refused her permission to use his London palace for a charity ball. Edward Payson Weston, 86-year-old world famous pedestrian, was shot in the leg and seriously beaten by a mob in his lonely home near Kingston, N. Y. Mystery surrounded the attack.

Workers' Leisure Hours Subject At Conferenc

(*French Wireless through Reuter*)

Paris, July 3.—The International Labor Conference today continued the discussion of the recommendation with regard to the utilisation of workers' hours of leisure. The Note presented by the committee considers that the adoption of the 8-hour day convention was intended to guarantee workers leisure hours in which they can apply themselves to developing their physical and intellectual capacities and that such an effort is of high value for the progress of civilisation. Reasoned employment of leisure may even increase powers of production and make the 8-hour day all the more efficacious. Whilst taking into account local customs and circumstances, the committee considers it useful to fix methods which already appear as the most efficacious and to recommend the principles and regulations under the following five heads:

1.—With a view to the preservation of leisure, the conference recommends fixing, by free agreement between employers and employed, measures to prevent search for supplementary remunerative work.

2.—The development of individual hygiene and the fight against alcohol and tuberculosis, evil associations, and gambling.

3.—Favoring the development of harmony in workers' families and the creation of comfortable and cheap dwellings.

4.—The conference recommends improvement on household life and development of sport amongst the workers. Educational works can be subsidised by the States.

5.—The conference recommends a plan of active propaganda in favor of rational use of leisure hours.

Jewish School To Hold Scouts Display Sunday

The Boy Scouts and Wolf Cubs of the Shanghai Jewish School will hold their half-yearly "Kimboree," or inter-patrol competitions, at the School, 146 North Szechuen Road, on Sunday, July 6, at 9.30 a.m. They extend a cordial welcome to all members of other Troops and Packs, parents, friends and all interested to witness their displays, which will consist of an interesting exhibition of Scout and Cubcraft.

P. I. Have Lowest Death Rate Since Records Were Kept

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Manila, June 25.—The death rate in the Philippine Islands during the year 1923 was 17.5 per thousand which is the lowest ever recorded, according to a report of the Philippine Health service. The 1923 death rate was eight percent lower than that of 1922 and fourteen percent lower in 1921.

The report states it is now apparent from the records on file that following a decrease in marriages in 1923, a falling off in the number of births will be evident when the figures are complete. There has been a corresponding decrease in the infant mortality rate toward which the insular Government has exerted much effort.

Health officials attribute the decrease in the death rate to increased efficiency of the health organisation, improved sanitation of populous centers and increased interest in health education of the masses.

NEW COMMISSIONER

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 3.—Tuan Metda of Sarawak will act as Commissioner of the Sarawak Pavilion at Wembley vice Mr. Deshon, who died on July 1.

Little Entente Foreign Ministers To Hold Parley

(*French Wireless through Reuter*)

Paris, July 3.—The Ministers of Foreign Affairs of the States of the Little Entente will meet at Prague on July 11 to define the policy of the Little Entente, notably, its attitude towards the Soviets. The question of reparations will be discussed in relation to the London conference.

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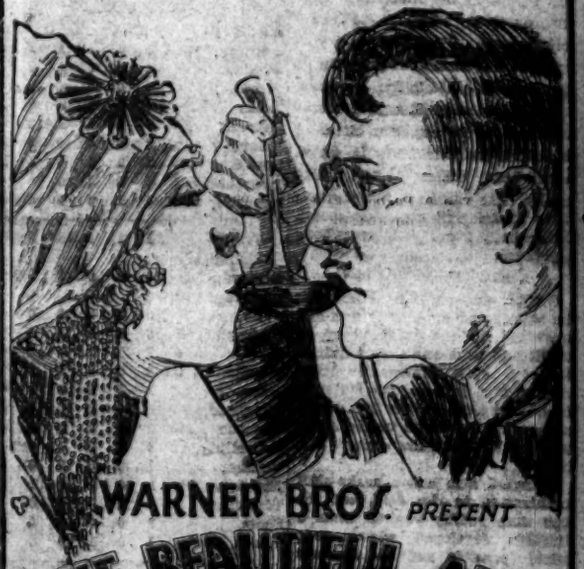

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Other features that will be shown at the **St. George's Open Air Cinema** this month include: **"Beautiful and Damned"** with Marie Prevost. **"Beyond the Rocks,"** with Rudolph Valentino and Gloria Swanson. **"Signal Tower,"** this is one of the greatest dramas ever shown, and a presentation of exceedingly high merit. Will be released in America August 3, 1924. **"Merry Go Round." "Trailing African Wild Animals." "Sporting Youth,"** with Reginald Denny and Laura La Plante.

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Our way of bee-having, Bobbie, sed Pa. Why do you ask?

Beekaus our teecher sed that it was our Conduck with made our Success in life, I sed. She sed that we shaped our few-cher by our Conduck.

Yure teecher is partly rite, Bobbie, sed Pa, & partly rong. There have been sum men wich made grate Success in sum ways, Bobbie, sed Pa, but thare Conduck was not what it shud be, sed Pa. Biron & Burns & Shakespeer was all grate men, Bobbie, sed Pa, but thay were gay dogs with wild habits, sed Pa, & even I, sed Pa, tho I have climed the ladder, if I may say so sed Pa, cannot say that my Conduck was always like the Drivven Snok, Bobbie, sed Pa.

You must not leed Bobbie to think that it is grate or noabel to have care-less Conduct, sed Ma. My deer old father used to say that Verchew was its own reeward, sed Ma.

The old gent red that in a Coppy Book, sed Pa. I doant think he evver gave it a good trile, sed Pa.

That will do, sed Ma. You know how X-asper-ated I get wen you reefer to my deer old daddy's weeke points, sed Ma. He had a big & noabel hart wich made up for everything cairless wich he evver did, sed Ma.

I soppose so, sed Pa. He wasent a bad old skate at that.

Old skate, old skate, how dare you? sed Ma.

Pa laffed. It always amewses me, sed Pa, to see how easy I can git yure goat speeking cairless about yure old gent, sed Pa.

It is not gentel-manneriy of you to do such, sed Ma.

I guess you are rite at that, sed Pa, & I will try nevver to do it agenn.

I nevver speek thus of yure pairents, sed Ma. I nevver sler yure father.

A lot my old gent wud care, sed Pa, eeven is he were in the land of the livving. Thare was one gent that was ab-eolute hard boiled, sed Pa. I nevver seen anything maik him finch.

You nevver seen, what kind of grammer is that? sed Ma. I supposse that was the way yure father talked.

I will addermit that my old gent was awful ruff with his grammer, sed Pa. He nevver had any skooling, Pa sed, he was a dimond in the ruff, Pa sed.

Ruff is rite, sed Ma. I used to wish he wud let the barber shaiv im if he cuddent shaiv hisself, sed Ma.

You & Pa both give me a pane, I sed. You are all the time talking about eech others pairents. How wud you like it if I talked about you? I sed.

On deep re-fleckshun, Bobbie, sed Pa, I beleeve you are rite. Wife, sed Pa, our little chile has teeched us a grate lesson.

I guess little chiles must be good for sumthing, after all.

Kiangsi Tuli Is Seeking Alliance With Chekiang

(Dah Tong News Bureau)

Nanchang, July 4.—Tuchun Tsai Chun-hsun has telegraphed to Peking and Loyang, asking them to approach General Lu Yung-hsiang of Chekiang with the view to forming a Chekiang-Kiangsi alliance and securing the return of a quantity of ammunition seized by General Chwang Tse-ping and Yang Hua-chao at Yushan.

The exportation of rice has been prohibited by Tuchun Tsai Chun-hsun in view of the flood in his province.

MEN AND WOMEN IN NEWS OF THE DAY.

Above: GEORGE F. BAKER & DR IGNAZ SEIPEL
Below: MRS KATHERINE D BENJAMIN & PRINCE RUPPRECHT

George F. Baker, multi-millionaire New York banker, has given $5,000,000 for the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration, where stress will be laid upon the teaching of business ethics. Ignatz Seipel, Austrian Chancellor, was shot down and seriously wounded in the Vienna railway station by Karl Jaworek, who then shot himself. During a celebration in Munich 30,000 Bavarian war veterans hailed ex-Crown Prince Rupprecht, former commander of a group of German armies, as their king. The exquisite Mrs. Katherine Doremus Benjamin, divorced wife of Park Benjamin, of New York City, brother-in-law of the late Enrico Caruso, once a leader in New York society, has had to abandon society for a $30 a week job as a sewing girl. She recently had her husband jailed for failure to pay back alimony.

Our Belfast Letter

The Boundary Deadlock; Shipyard Wages Dispute; Marketing Of Eggs

(From Our Own Corespondent)

Belfast, May 19.—The Boundary Question has reached an absolute deadlock. Many speeches are made concerning it, many meetings are held, and many arguments are advanced, but no progress is being made in the settlement of this question which keeps the whole of Ireland in agitated suspense. On Wednesday a meeting of M.P.'s was held at Westminster at which a printed statement explaining Ulster's position in the controversy, was circulated. Briefly the statement is this:

The act of 1920 was in all essentials an agreed measure as between Ulster and Great Britain, and is regarded by Ulster as a treaty and a charter, and as a final settlement of the Irish question as far as she is concerned. In her eyes it is as binding as any arrangement made by man can be. The boundary line of the six counties was definitely agreed to by Ulster and by the British Government. That agreement was embodied by the act, and Ulster claims that the British Government has no right, moral or otherwise, to alter that line without her consent. Southern Ireland never put the 1920 act into operation, and a state of anarchy reigned in that part of the country for many months after the passing of the act. Then came the so called truce and negotiations for a treaty. Ulster was asked if she wished to take part in these negotiations, but she refused, on the ground that the dispute was between the British Government and Southern Ireland, and that Ulster had no right or business to be present at these negotiations. It was clearly understood, however, between Mr. Lloyd George and Sir James Craig that if at any time any proposal was made which might jeopardise or affect Ulster's rights or interests, she should be called into conclave and be given every opportunity of safeguarding her interests.

ASK CONSIDERATION

No Englishman can read this statement without feeling some resentment. The sentence "Ulster claims that the British Government has no right, moral or other wise, to alter that line without her consent" seems to imply that Britain is anxions to rob Ulster of her land. But does Britain seek to alter the boundary line without Ulster's consent? All that Britain asks is that Ulster appoint a representative to consider the question. As the final paragraph of the statement contends, "Ulster is being given every opportunity to safeguard her interests."

If Sir James Craig will not appoint a representative, then that is a different matter. Why does Sir James refuse to appoint a representative? It is the only chance of settling the matter in a satisfactory manner.

At a recent meeting of the Belfast District Committee of the Engineering and Shipbuilding Trades Federation, it was decided to press a claim for an increase of £1 which was previously put forward in connection with the local shipward wage. The firms have made an offer of a restoration of 50 percent of the last cut in the wages, which was 10s., but it has not been met at all favorably.

Many of the workmen are being compelled by the Labor Exchange officials to accept work on the Clyde and in Birkenhead, refusals being checked by the stoppage of their benefit money. It is claimed that the wages these men earn across the water are inadaquate to support wives and families in Belfast, and it was decided to appoint a deputation to interview the Minister of Labor and request him to exempt married men from having to accept work in these conditions.

The Marquise of Londonderry speaking in the House Of Commons of the Parliament of Northern Ireland last week said the rehabilitation of the agricultural industry had been a very pressing question since the war. It was estimated that in Northern Ireland the number of persons engaged in agriculture was 212,000, as against 206,000 engaged in all other industries, including 68,000 engaged in linen, and 35,000 in shipbuilding. The computed output from agriculture was £20,000,000, from linen £17,000,0000, and from shipbuilding £9,000,000. The farming community had had the full sympathy of the Government during those very trying times in Northern Ireland, and some relief had been afforded by a special grant of £125,000.

He went on to speak of the Government's help in establishing agricultural education, and various improvement systems. Few people, he believed, had even an approximate idea of the value of the egg industry in Ulster. Not only was Ulster self-supporting, but from Northern ports, eggs to the value of £3,000,000 annually were dispatched to Great Britain. Such, however, was the possibility of the industry that there was no reason whatever why that very substantial source of income should not be increased.

They had many natural advantages in the Six Counties. The climate and the soil were particularly suitable. The Irish egg was not in point of quality excelled by any supplied to the British market by other countries. He said a great deal more, about Ulster's chances to increase her egg output, and explained that the present marketing system was very bad. At the conclusion, a bill for an improvement in this direction was approved. Its object being to "place the Ulster egg in a more honored position on the market".

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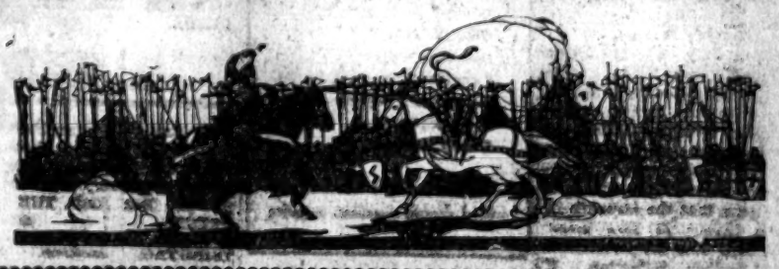

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Mr. Jose Topacio, director of the Bureau of the Philippines, also is in correspondence with the postal authorities of Siberia regarding a plan to send Philippine mails for Europe by the Siberian Railroad instead of by steamer through Suez, It now requires thirty to forty days for mail to reach Europe by steamer and Director Topacio hopes to cut something like three from this schedule if arrangements can be made to despatch them by rail through Siberia.

Trotsky Ridicules Attlee's Speech In The Commons

(Reuter's Service)

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SHANGHAI, SATURDAY, JULY 5, 1924

Business and Official Notices

MUNICIPAL INVESTMENT BANK

JULY DEPOSITS

CARRYING interest at 5% per annum will be received at the Finance Department of the Council, Administration Building, 16 Hankow Road (Ground Floor).

Wednesday, July 2
Thursday, „ 3
Friday, „ 4
Saturday, „ 5
Monday, „ 7

Deposits will be in respect of the 6 per cent. Loan of 1924. (Allotment at Tls. 95 per cent).

68959

Anniversary Sale

Many thanks to our Patrons, we have passed a most successful year. We wish now to express our gratitude and appreciation by a sensational price-cutting sale at our First Anniversary. Hats at 50% and 70% reduction on original prices, and summer and evening dresses to be had at $8 to $20. The sale will be only for one week, beginning on Monday, 7th July.

PALAIS DES MODES.
329J Avenue Joffre

69000 J 6

Lost

A native order, No. 970 for Taels 603.90, due 13th day of 6th moon, issued by the King Yuan Oil Co., Nantao, ([illegible]) in name of the Chou Cheng Woo Oil Factory, ([illegible]) has been lost.

The public are hereby warned against negotiating the said order, as it has been declared null and void, also appeared in the Sin Wan Pao and Shun Pao.

ZUNG NEE SHIN
[illegible]

R. M. S. "Empress of Asia"

Left Hongkong on Thursday, the 3rd July, at Noon. Is due C. M. Lower Wharf on Saturday, the 5th July, at 2 p.m. Leaves C. M. Lower Wharf on Sunday, the 6th July, at [illegible] for

Vancouver, B.C.

via Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama and Victoria, B. C.

Baggage will be received at the Baggage godown China Merchants' Lower Wharf between the hours 4 p.m. and 7 p.m. on Saturday, the 5th July.

A. PARKHILL,
Acting General Agent.
E. STONE,
General Agent,
Passenger Dept.

69016

Change of Residence

As from July 10, Dr. W. E. O'Hara's residence will be the Astor House Phone N. 200.

Consulting rooms as at present Zylstra Building, 27 Nanking Road, phone C. 1625. Hours 11 to 12.30, 2 to 3.

Phone messages 7 p.m. to 8 a.m. N. 200, 8 a.m. to 7 p.m. C. 1625.

T F 334

Bank of China

MOKANSHAN SUMMER OFFICE

For the convenience of Summer resorters, the Bank of China will open as usual a Summer Office at Mokanshan commencing business on July 10th, 1924. The following banking business will be transacted:—

(1) Remittance
(2) Current Deposits
(3) Collections
(4) Money Exchange
(5) Redemption of Bank of China notes.

68973 J 10

Jot it Down!

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Societe Anonyme.

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Full details should be given as to number, type and candle-power of the lamps that it is intended to use as well as to the place where they will be installed.

Applicants will be informed by July 7th inst. of the power allotted. Shanghai, July 3rd 1924.

68992 J 5

Dr. Med. F. Weischer, Tsingtau, begs to announce that Dr. M. Plog, Specialist in eye, nose and ear diseases has joined his practice.

48 Hunan Road, Tsingtau

68960

S.S. "GERANIA" from Trieste via ports

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

EXAMINATION of, ship damaged and broken cargo only ex the above steamer will be held at the Shanghai & Hongkew Wharf Co., Ltd.'s Old Ningpo Wharf on Friday July 4th. at 10 a.m. by Messrs. Angus & Co., Marine Surveyors.

LLOYD TRIESTINO S. N. CO.

68944 J 4

Notice

The undersigned has much pleasure in announcing that Captain Rennie Tipple, late of Yokohama, Marine and Cargo Surveyor, is now associated with this firm.

We are further pleased to announce that Mr. William Lyle, M. I. N. A., Naval Architect, has also become associated with this firm where his services will be available at any time in reference to the designing of or alterations to ships or other ship survey work.

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69021 J 11

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68951 J 5

Important Notice

On the 30th day of 5th moon, a certain person, holding a receipt of the Tsen Tai Zung Kee Bank, obtained from us by fraud a Chinese deposit book, (莊摺) issued by the Tsen Tai Zung Kee Bank, (振泰潤記莊) and cashed $3,500 from the said Bank by forgery of our seal. Also a Bank Order, No. 8572, for Taels 6,900, due on 30th day of 5th moon, issued by the same Bank. Besides requesting the Mixed Court and Police Station, Shanghai, to file the case, we hereby warn the public not to negotiate or accept the said Chinese deposit book and Bank Order, as they have been nullified, payment ceased, and a new Deposit book has been issued. A similar notice also appears in the Shun Pao and Sin Wan Pao.

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68993 J 6

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NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE is hereby given that in accordance with the Resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting of the Company held on 20th June, 1924, the Transfer Books of the Company will be closed from the 26th July 1924 to the 31st July 1924, both days inclusive, in order that the list of shareholders entitled to the new issue of shares may be compiled.

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West Exchange, 38 Burkill Road.
North Exchange, Corner of Haining & Fusan Road.
Central Exchange, 24a Kiangse Road.

C. W. PORTER,
Secretary & Acting General Manager.

Shanghai, July 4th, 1924.

689004 J 10

The Engineering Society of China

Annual General Meeting
Session 1923-1924.

The Annual General Meeting of this Society will be held at the Old Carlton on Tuesday, the 8th July at 4.45 p.m. when the following business will be dealt with:—

1. Presentation of the Report of the Council.
2. Submission of Statement of Accounts.
3. Election of the Council for the 1924-1925 Session.
4. General Business.

O. L. ILBERT,
Hon. Secretary & Treasurer.

69003 J 5

Business and Official Notices

Notice

Dr. W. G. Hiltner of the firm of Hiltner and Swan, announces that during the summer months his Telephone, day and night will be Central 1170.

68936 J 6

Notice

It is requested that all outstanding accounts due by the undersigned be presented for payment at No. 77, Route Pichon, until and not later than the 10th of July, 1924, after which date no bills will be recognised.

MRS. R. SPUNT

68921 J 10

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Important Notice

TO LADIES

All Ladies' Toilet Requisites etc. contained in the Ladies' Hairdressing Saloon of the **Shanghai Toilet Club,** Palace Hotel Building, 1a Nanking Road, will be sold at greatly reduced prices from June 2nd to July 31st owing to removal to New Premises.

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S.S. "President Madison" Voy. No. 65-W. from Seattle

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

Examination of Ship's damaged cargo ex the S.S. "President Madison" V-No. 65-W. will be held at China Merchants Central Wharf on Monday, July 7th, at 9.00 a.m. when Messrs. Eisler, Reeves and Murphy, Marine and Cargo Surveyors will be in attendance.

ADMIRAL-ORIENTAL LINE.

68996 J 6

Important

It has been brought to our notice that a square chop in Chinese (永安公司總經理部) was in use without our knowledge.

We hereby notify the public that goods ordered for this company must be delivered to our Receiving Department, and, unless both a signature and a chop be obtained from the said department and our general office respectively, we will not be responsible for payment of same.

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68882 J 5

Jessfield Park

Saturday, July 5th, at 9.15 p.m.

Municipal Orchestra
Open-Air Concert
Chairs at 30 cents each.

For programme see News Columns

(In the event of inclement weather, the performance will be postponed until Monday, July 7).

69007 J. 5

The Shanghai Pedicab Service Co., Ltd.

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ONE MILE or part of a MILE— Ten Cents silver.
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If hired by the hour:—
First hour or part of it:— Fifty Cents silver
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SPECIAL DAILY FEATURE

FINANCIAL AND TRADE ARTICLE

NEW DEVICES ARRIVE FOR MAKING RAW SILK TESTS

Part Of The Program To Standardise All Measurements

MEANS PROGRESS

Lack Of Uniformity Is Hurting World Market

The movement for a universal standard for classifying raw silk is resulting in the importation into China and Japan of various machines and apparatus for testing the quality of this product. The appearance of this equipment, nearly all of which is made in America, is contributing toward the desired result. Both corporations and individuals are engaged in manufacturing and marketing these appliances.

In America there is about 50 laboratories engaged in testing raw silk for quality. Unfortunately almost every laboratory has a slightly different method for testing or interpreting the same into grades, with as much as four grades variation in the result.

Several years ago, the Japanese reelers and inspectors said to the American buyers of raw silk, "Tell us what you want and we will produce it." It has been a complicated and difficult matter for the American buyers to tell the Japanese exactly what they want. The progress toward standard tests is making it easier to answer the question.

DIFFERENT METHODS

There seem to be two main reasons for the different methods of testing raw silk now in use: 1. There has been no recognised standard in the primary market and no recognised authority on the subject in the world, so that the work had to go through a formulative period. 2. The inspectors have, through a number of years of training, acquired a knowledge of the various qualities of raw silk, mostly by the sense of sight and touch. The reports they have received from the manufacturers have been mostly hearsay, and while they had to be confirmed several times to get at the facts, it has given them, though a number of years, a general knowledge of the qualities of raw silk required to produce a specific fabric.

The official testing house, the U. S. Testing Co., Inc., which has its Far Eastern headquarters in Shanghai, is taking the lead in standardising the testing methods and otherwise improving the quality of raw silk. Representatives of this organisation are doing a great deal of valuable field work in the Orient.

The manufacturers of raw silk commodities in America generally classify their product into two grades, viz.: First and seconds. As in the case of raw silk, there is no standard method followed in grading, and it is largely controlled by what the buyer will accept as first quality, and buy at a reduced price as second.

TRADE IS CRITICAL

In the buyers' market the trade is very critical and accepts only a first class article as first; but in the sellers' market they overlook many imperfections in order to get the article desired; even then the manufacturer always is limited in that which he can pass on to a customer.

As a rule, seconds are disposed of at a loss, and, consequently, to manufacture properly, one must sell his firsts at a price high enough to cover the loss on the seconds. When the seconds are too numerous, in order to earn a profit, the firsts frequently are priced so high that sales are affected and all interested parties suffer.

It appears that those responsible for the supply of raw silk in America follow the same tactics in grading and selling raw silk. During a sellers' market there is not only a lowering of all grades of raw silk, but also higher prices. These two conditions coming at the same time affect the manufacturer in a number of ways, as follows:

A higher price of raw silk, increased cost of production and waste, a larger loss due to seconds; and greater fabricating losses, claims, rejections and cancellation of orders.

There are certain lines of commodities that cannot be manufactured today because no raw silk can be purchased that is sufficiently even to produce them perfectly enough to sell at a profit. One of the appealing features of artificial silk is its evenness. The increasing use of the artificial product has stimulated the efforts of the raw silk dealers to settle upon a universal standard for classification.

Commercial News

Money Exchange

Shanghai, July 4, 1924

Bank's Demand Selling Rate for £1 at 3/3 1/16 = Tls. 6.10 at 7080 $8.61

G.$100 at 71 = Tls. 140.53
7080 = $198.49

Mex. Dollars market rate 71.0375
Native Interest 12
Copper Cash 270.000
Shanghai Gold Bar 286.80
Bar Silver 34/-
Bank rate of Discount 4%
Paris on London 84.70
New York on London 483%
London:
Telegraphic Transfer .. 3/3 1/4
Demand 3/3 1/16
New York:
Telegraphic Transfer ... 70 3/4
Demand 71

AMERICAN-ORIENTAL BANK
CLOSING RATES
Selling Demand Draft

U.S. G.$100.00 = S'hai $198.65
Stg. 1.0.0 = S'hai $8.62
Fcs. 100.00 = S'hai $10.37
Yen. 100.00 = S'hai $83.22

Buying Demand Draft

U.S. G.$100.00 = S'hai $195.47
Stg. 1.0.0 = S'hai $8.44
Fcs. 100.00 = S'hai $9.95
Yen. 100.00 = S'hai $81.35

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Demand selling on America 70 7/8
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7th Year 6%	73.40	72.00
9th Year 6%	90.75	91.00
6% Consolidated	82.00	82.10
7% Consolidated	83.30	84.00
11th Year 8%	99.00	99.00
'96 Millions 8%	36.00	37.00

Stock Exchange

Transactions
TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
Shanghai, July 4, 1924
OFFICIAL

S.M.C. 6% Sterling Loan £104

UNOFFICIAL

Anglo Javas Tls. 4.30
Bukits Tls. 0.80
Consolidated Tls 1.30
Ziangbes Tls. 2.15
Chemors Tls. 0.65
S. & H. Wharf Tls. 198.00
Langkats (Single) Tls. 6.00

Shanghai Sharebrokers' Association

Business Done
Shanghai, July 4, 1924
OFFICIAL

Anglo Javas Tls. 4.50 Sept.
Orientals Tls. 3.25

UNOFFICIAL

Telephones Tls. 74.00

Rubber Auction

Messrs. J. A. Wattie and Co., Ltd., have received the following telegram dated 2nd inst. from their Singapore agents:

Average prices:
Sheet 34½ cents.
Crepe 35½ cents.
Catalogued 644 tons.
Sold 325 tons.
Market steady.
London quotation 10 3/4d.
Market steady.

BRITISH SEIZURE IS VALID IN THE UNITED STATES

Judge Hand Upholds Right Of England's Public Trustee To Stock

New York, June 7.—Federal Judge Learned Hand made a decision yesterday establishing the validity in America of seizures made in England of German-owned stock certificates registered in the names of British agents during the war. Attorneys in the case said that the matter probably would be taken to the United States Supreme Court, as the disposition of certificates aggregating many millions of dollars in value depended on the decision.

The action was brought against the United States Steel Corporation and the Public Trustee of England and Wales by two German banks, Direction der Disconto-Gesellschaft and Bank fur Handel und Industrie. Final hearing had been held on an agreed statement. Each bill was filed to establish the plaintiff's title to 100 shares of stock of the United States Steel Corporation, which that company had refused to recognise because of the claims of the Public Trustee of England and Wales. Judge Hand's decision directed that title be given to the Public Trustee.

John Wilson Brown was counsel for the plaintiffs. The Public Trustee was represented by Frederic R. Coudert, Colonel Howard Thayer Kingsbury and Mahlon B. Doing. The Steel Corporation was represented by William Averell Brown.

At the outbreak of the World War, said the agreed statement of facts, the plaintiffs each owned 100 shares of Steel, registered in the company's books as being held by brokers resident in England. When war began the British Trading With the Enemy act established the Public Trustee and empowered him to seize German property in England. In consequence, the certificates of stock were taken over by the Public Trustee.

"The question is whether the title of the Public Trustee by capture is good against enemy owners when the property consists in a New Jersey corporation, when the registered shareholders were subjects of Britain and had endorsed the certificates in blank, and when the certificates had been physically reduced to possession in the United Kingdom by the Public Trustee," said the Court.

"The plaintiffs argue that we should not recognise captures made in the United Kingdom until it appears that that nation extends a like recognition to captures made here. The point depends upon a misunderstanding of the effect of the case of Hilton v. Guyot. Whatever may be thought of that decision, the Court certainly did not mean to hold that an American court was to recognise no obligations or duties arising elsewhere until it appeared that the sovereign of the locus reciprocally recognised similar obligations existing here. That doctrine, I am happy to say, is not a part of American jurisprudence.

"It is true that a judgment creates a debt, and is indeed an instance of the general principle. But it is a most especial instance, and no generalisation may properly be drawn from it. A judgment involves the direct action of a court against individuals, and offers more excuse for national jealousy than when the obligation arises for laws of general application. So far as I know, the doctrine of reciprocity has been confined to foreign judgments alone and has no application to situations of this sort. Moreover, it is a doctrine in supposed protection of the nationals of the forum. On what theory citizens of a foreign State may invoke it I cannot understand. These plaintiffs are German citizens, and it would scarcely lie in their mouth to complain, even had it affirmatively appeared that the courts of England would recognise similar captures made of shares under our own statutes. Much less must it be shown that they would so recognise them.

"The Public Trustee may take a decree declaring that the plaintiffs are not entitled to the shares at issue or to be registered as shareholders, and directing the United States Steel Corporation upon surrender of the proper certificates to register him as shareholder and to issue appropriate certificates to him in evidence thereof."

China Cotton

Messrs. A. B. Rosenfeld and Son, Inc., state in their current report:

Since our last report, the cotton market has witnessed a succession of firm markets, due, in a large measure, to the attitude and operations of the local bull clique, and values were carried 50 to 100 points above the level ruling about a week ago. At the close, however, Mid-Americans declined some 100 points for spot and 91 points for May, in consequence of which our market responded accordingly.

Crop news has been generally favorable, but there are some complaints of lack of rain in some sections, while it would seem that other territories have had too much rain. These may be only the usual vicissitudes of every summer.

With the uncertainties of the new crop and the uncertainties of the prospects of universal trade, it is almost impossible to arrive at any definite opinion of the market in the near future.

SPUNT & CO.'S REPORT

Messrs. J. Spunt and Co. state in their report:

Spinners' takings during the past week, though small, did in no way affect prices on spot deliveries and the rates on old crop stocks, which is becoming more and more scarce, will not show any signs of weakening until the near approach of the new season cotton. However, as regards new crop deliveries the tendency at the moment is downward, by reason of the reports in general from the various cotton growing districts, indicating favorable weather conditions and pointing to a fairly large yield for the coming season, provided intermittent reasonable weather continues to prevail during the next two months.

A further reason for expectations of lower prices on the local staple is the declines now being registered in yarn values and the shutting down of some mills for lengthy periods, while other mills are making further curtailments in their spindleage. Furthermore the declines in Mid-Americans and Indians may be expected to influence the local markets to a more or less extent.

Tone of the market: Easier.

Hongkong Stocks

Messrs. Ellis & Co. yesterday received the following quotations by cable from Hongkong:

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corpn. $1,147½ buyers.

Hongkong Land Investment Co. $111 buyers.

Union Insurance Society of Canton $228 nominal.

Hongkong & Kowloon Wharves $195 buyers.

Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co. $151 sellers.

Green Island Cement Co. (old) $22 sellers.

Green Island Cement Co. (new) $6½ sales.

Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels (old) $17½ buyers.

Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels (new) $17 buyers.

China Sugar Refinery Co. $254 sales.

Hongkong Fire Insurance Co. $570 buyers.

Hongkong Tramway Co. $38 buyers.

June Rubber Returns

	lb.
Langkat	78,800
Shanghai-Sumatra	61,192
Anglo-Java	157,000
Java Consolidated	64,100
Kroewoek	58,000
Ziangbe	55,100
Anglo-Dutch	62,000

P. And O. Bank's Annual Meeting

The local manager of the P. and O. Banking Corporation, Limited, advises receipt of a cable from the head office in London advising that the annual general meeting of shareholders has been fixed for 11th instant, when the directors will recommend a dividend for the year ending March 31, 1924 of 5½% less income tax, placing to Reserve Fund £20,000 (bringing it up to £135,000) and carrying forward to next account £17,567.

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Closing Quotations

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. & S. Banks	H.$1,145
Chartered	£19¾ B.
Russo-Asiatic	Nom
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$680
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H.$228 S.
Yangtsze	H.$238¼ B.
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$150 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$570 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$115
Indo-China Perf.	H.$38 B.
"Shell"	82/-
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 82 B.
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 51¼
H.C.&M.S.B.Co.Ltd	H.$36 B.
Star Ferry	H.$88½ B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 20¾
Oriental Cons.	13/-
Raub	H.35 S.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$152 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 94 B.
New, Eng. Works	Tls. 6 B.
" Pref.	Tls. 5.10 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 196½ B.
Hongkong Wharf	H.$197 Sa.
Lands and Hotels	Tls. 50
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref	Tls. 118 B.
A.-French Land	Tls. 117½ B
Shanghai Land	H.$113½ B.
Hongkong Lands	Tls. 22¼ B.
Humphreys Estate	Tls. 53
Carlton Ltd.	NewH.$11¾ B.
H. & S. Hotel	OldH.$17½ B
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 11.15
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 105
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 8
Oriental	Tls. 3 B.
Shanghai Cotton	Old 61 New 36
Industrials	
Bulter Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	H.$255 S.
Green Island	NewH.$6¼ Sa. OldH.$22 S.
Langkats (Comb.)	Tls. 19¼
Langkats (Single)	Tls. 5½ B.
Loans	Tls. 5 B.
Explorations	Tls. 9
Major Bros.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 96 B.
Stores	
Hall and Holtz	$5½ B.
Llewelyn	Tls. 35
Lane Crawford	Tls. 98½ B.
Moutrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$28¼ S.
Weeks	$11
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 3½ B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.10 B.
Anglo-Java	Tls. 4¼ B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 1.70 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 21
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.65
Bute	Tls. 0.80 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 0.40 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 0.65 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 4½
Cheng	Tls. 1
Consolidated	Tls. 1.30 B.
Dominion	Tls. 1¼ B.
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 7¾ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 8 B.
Kali Glidek	Tls. 5.20 B.
Kapayang	Tls. 9.40
Karan	Tls. 3
Kedah	Tls. 0.60 B.
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 0.40 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 9 B.
Padang	Tls. 5½
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 1.05
Permata	Tls. 1½ B.
Repah	Tls. 0.50 B.
Samanggus	Tls. 0.45
SeeRoet	Tls. 0.85
Semambu	Tls. 0.65 B.
Senawang	Tls. 0.70
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 1½ B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 9
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 0.75
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 0.70 B.
Sungala	Tls. 6 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 2.65
Sua Manggis	Tls. 0.25 B.
S'hai Seremban	Tls. 0.50
Tsiping	Tls. 0.45 B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.70 B.
Tebong	Tls. 2 B.
Ziangbee	
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 325
Culty Dairy	Tls. 11
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 18
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 40 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50 B.
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephones	Tls. 73 B.
S'hai Waterwork	Tls. 150 B.
China Providents	OldH.$15B. NewH.$5 B.
H'kong Electrics	H.$34½ B.
H'kong Tramways	H.337.90B.
Dairy Farm	H.$25½ B. OldH.$20 NewH.$7
Hongkong Ropes	OldH.$14½ NewH.$9B.
China Lights	OldH.$18¼ B NewH.$4.10 B.
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Hankow Trade

The British Chamber of Commerce, Hankow, states in its weekly circular of trade statistics under date June 25:

Bar silver 35 ready 34⅞ forward slowly declined to 34⅞ ready and forward on 15th instant at which rate it remains weak. New York-London cross rate 432¼ on 19th fluctuated touching 433⅜ on 21st instant and closed at 432¼ on 25th instant. T.T. 3/4⅛ on 19th slowly declined to 3/3¾ on 25th and closed at that rate. 4 m/s credits placed at 3/5⅛ on 20th declined to 3/4⅝ on 24th but was done at 3/4½ on 25th instant. Chinese market rates: Shanghai Tls. 97.9. Local currency $68,825. Native interest 14%.

EXPORTS

The position as last reported is practically unchanged, some purchases of beans and wood oil being the only business reported. Values of these commodities are steady. Prices of other articles nominal.

IMPORTS

Piece Goods:—A certain amount of business is reported for forward delivery, chiefly in fancy lines.

Yarn:—A small demand at poor prices.

BLACK TEA

Since the last report some 8,000 H/C have been settled and at date out of about 130,000 H/C offered there still remains a stock of about 95,000 H/C, while the latest estimate of the quantity of 1st crop tea still to come is 50,000 H/C.

As regards second crop information is that conditions have been favorable and the quantity is said to be 60,000 H/C, so that 1st and 2nd crop together will be 40,000 H/C less than last season's 1st crop tea alone.

The market is very slow as the teamen's idea of price is in most cases far above today's value of the tea offering, and we expect the small supplies will last well into the autumn before they are disposed of.

There is a generally easier feeling and a few of the medium teas have sold at prices showing a distinct drop on the previous week while the few common teas that have been settled are much lower, though in view of the fact that there are very heavy supplies of this poor cargo, prices will hive to drop considerably further before it can be disposed of.

Shanghai Tramways

The following is the traffic return for the week ended July 2, 1924, with figures for the corresponding week last year:

	1924
Gross receipts	$85,528.96
Loss by currency depreciation	40,270.09
Effective receipts	$45,258.87
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	48.35
Car miles run	116,498
Passengers carried	2,378,699
	1923
Gross receipts	$75,901.93
Loss by currency depreciation	$31,976.11
Effective receipts	$43,925.82
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	43.63
Car miles run	114,651
Passengers carried	2,620,756

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on July 1, 1924.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	,,	18-30
Pork	,,	30-40
Veal	,,	24-36
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	25-30
Cod	,,	20-25
Mandarin	per lb.	45-50
Mackerel	,,	15-20
Pomfret	,,	18-20
Salmon	,,	none
Samli	,,	45-50
Soles	,,	30-40
Whitebait	,,	30-35
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	20-25
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	each	none
Partridge	,,	none
Pheasant	,,	none
Geese	,,	90-$1.10
Plover	,,	none
Pigeons	,,	18-20
Quail	,,	none
Snipe	,,	18-20
Teal	,,	none
Turkey	per lb.	55-60
Woodcock	,,	none
Wild Duck	,,	none
Duck	each	80-$1.00
Wild Pigeon	,,	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	10-15
Apples	,,	30-40
Bananas	,,	8-10
Chestnuts	,,	none
Cherries	per lb.	none
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lichees	per lb	20-40
Lemons	each	8-10
Oranges	per doz.	$1.20-$1.50
Mangoes	each	none
Peaches	per lb.	8-10
Melons	each	none
Mangosteens	ped doz.	none
Persimmons	pel lb.	none
Pears	,,	16-20
Peeboes	,,	12-15
Plums	,,	8-10
Pumeloes	each	30-40
Pineapples	,,	10-12
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	,,	13-18
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	5-8
Asparagus	per doz.	30-40
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Broad Beans	per lb.	none
Cabbages	each	5-8
Celery	per bunch	none
Cucumber	,,	4-5
Carrots	,,	4-5
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg Plant	per lb.	8-10
French Beans	,,	5-8
Green Corn	each	2-3
Peas	per lb.	none
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Waste Silk.—The export consisted principally of Tussah, Frisonnet and Long Waste, of which Piculs 577 went to England, Piculs 5,769 to France, Piculs 40 to Germany, Piculs 3,152 to Italy, Piculs 24 to America and Piculs 1,382 to Japan.

Cocoons.—Piculs 767 were shipped to France, Piculs 443 to Italy and Piculs 491 to Japan.

Sheep's Wool.—England took Piculs 19, Germany Piculs 295, America Piculs 14,865 and Japan Piculs 3. The market was slightly easier towards the close.

Goats' Wool and Hair.—Piculs 649 went forward to England, Piculs 210 to Germany, Piculs 583 to America and Piculs 49 to Japan.

Camels' Wood.—The steamers which sailed during May carried Piculs 1,846 to England and Piculs 214 to Germany. A strong demand exists for new season's supplies.

Hides.—Shipments to the extent of Piculs 740 were made to England, Piculs 2,433 to France, Piculs 594 to Belgium, Piculs 1,461 to Holland, Piculs 3,052 to Germany, Piculs 200 to Finland, Piculs 2,372 to Italy, Piculs 359 to Spain, Piculs 489 to Mediterranean Ports, Piculs 246 to America and Piculs 7,466 to Japan. The market was steady with a strong undertone.

Cotton.—The export to England amounted to Piculs 67, to Germany Piculs 1,086, to Australia Piculs 36, to America Piculs 6,271 and to Japan Piculs 16,571. Business was impracticable in Tientsin Cotton; the very limited stock was held for high prices.

China Grass.—Piculs 1,488 were taken by Belgium, Piculs 334 by Holland, Piculs 1,008 by Germany, Piculs 3,346 by Japan and Piculs 83 by Hongkong. No business was reported in new season's supplies.

Feathers.—The export was distributed as follows:—to England Piculs 759, to France Piculs 132, to Holland Piculs 149, to Denmark Piculs 352, to Germany Piculs 669, to Australia Piculs 3, to America Piculs 2,775, to Japan Piculs 4 and to Hongkong Piculs 54. No business of importance was put through during the period under review.

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Untanned Sheepskins.—There was no export.

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WEATHER

Cloudy and hot weather, with some thunder in the Valley. Summer monsoon along the China coast. The Northern China depression will reach Liaoiung East-ward s. The Pacific Ocean low center is apparently stationary, to the North-West of Guam.

The Anti-American Feeling In Japan

ACCORDING to the news reports from Japan published in the newspapers here this week, Japan registered a "nation-wide protest" on July 1, the day for putting into effect the new American Immigration Law, which contains a clause prohibiting the immigration into America of Japanese laborers or agriculturists. Resolutions condemning the new law were passed by both houses of the Diet, and, in addition, mass-meetings were held, pilgrimages were made to national shrines and posters and hand-bills were distributed in Tokio and elsewhere. In addition to the above manifestations, an unidentified Japanese entered the grounds of the American Embassy, climbed the flagpole, cut down the American flag and succeeded in escaping before the police arrived, but was later arrested and the flag returned to the Embassy.

In view of the fact that Chinese bandits have used the American flag for a target on several recent occasions in interior China without notice being taken of the matter by the American Government, we trust nothing will be done in respect to the flag incident in Japan. It is but natural, we suppose, that there should be demonstrations in Japan on the day selected for putting the new law into effect in view of the wide consideration which the mitter has received in the Japanese Press, but, on the other hand, it is gratifying to note that most of the responsible Japanese papers are now counselling moderation in respect to the agitation led by the radical elements to boycott American products.

The *Jiji*, one of the leading papers, it is interesting to note, states that "it does not add to the reputation of Japan, as a great nation, *to take a leaf out of the book of Chinese students and boycott American goods.*" "Such mischievous action," the same paper adds, "only tends to injure the Japanese case and is least calculated to promote a satisfactory solution of the Japanese-American problem."

The *Japan Chronicle*, the liberal British paper published at Kobe, has made a special effort to cover all phases of the present Japanese sentiment in respect to the American immigration law and calls attention to the fact that the Japanese paper which has conducted the most sensational attack on the United States is the Yamato, "which will be remembered as the leader in the anti-British campaign of 1916." The same editorial *in the Chronicle* states that "the most striking feature of the boycott has been the passionate eagerness of those who had something to gain by it." For this reason, American moving picture films were first to be singled out for attack by the boycotters. Although there are several native companies in Japan which manufacture excellent films, the American film has had the lead in that country, as elsewhere, owing to superior technique. The movie-houses put up a fight against the boycott on the grounds that they could not quickly cancel their contracts with the American producing companies, and as a result the date for the stopping of the American films was put well into the future. Now if it is to be enforced at all, says the editor of the *Chronicle*, "it will be through sheer propaganda of the interested parties—not from any popular indignation against America."

Another American product which has been singled out for attack is the gramophone record, and in this case, "here too there is a Japanese substitute which can be pushed if the drum is whacked sufficiently loudly." Soaps, perfumes and cosmetics are also receiving the attention of the Japanese patriots, and this leads the *Chronicle* to remark that "As for things which are not obviously American, Japan is already committed to taking G.$150,000,000 worth of reconstruction materials on the long credit represented by the recent loan, and a big order with the Westinghouse Company has just been recorded. Doubtless other countries could supply Japan's needs, but at the present time America is the only country that can afford sufficient credit. A vigorous campaign by Japanese interests might cause shopkeepers to keep American groceries at the back of the shop, but a manufacturer who needs an American machine for his work or who needs American iron and steel as his raw material cannot afford to listen to the patriots, and would only be doing his country an injury if he did. The crowd does not generally see the really important articles of commerce, and when it does, it has to shut its eyes to the fact, as when the patriots scour round the town in American motor cars to tell everybody that they must not use American goods—surely one of the most absurd features in a campaign that is ninety-nine per cent. humbug in any case.

That the views of the *Chronicle* are also shared by leading Japanese papers is also indicated by translations appearing in the columns of the *Chronicle*. The *Yomiuri* says:

"The prominent feature of Japanese industry is the production of luxuries, and it is particularly noteworthy that America is Japan's best customer. In return for the export of these luxuries, she imports from America goods which are most necessaries of life, such as iron and raw cotton. This fact shows clearly which side is destined to suffer in a larger measure from boycott movements mutually carried out."

The *Chuo* also denounces the mischievous actions on the part of anti-American agitators and says:

"The proper course for the Japanese people to pursue in such circumstances is to take a long view of the situation and launch a sustained movement to remind the Americans of their mistake. It is regrettable, therefore, to see that there is an increasing number of Japanese, who, prompted by momentary impulse, commit mad acts."

The *Miyako*, another paper, also stresses the fallacy of an economic boycott:

"Before launching the anti-American boycott movement, they must carefully consider the effects of their agitation upon Japan's trade with America. Japan exports to America raw silk and tea, the two staple articles of export, and if Japan's boycott of American goods is to be met by a similar action, the blow it deals to Japanese interests would be certainly much greater than the blow American interests can suffer. Japan cannot dispense with American cotton and iron. American iron constitutes the nucleus of Japanese industry. It is, of course, very important that Japan should stand on justice, and the unjust and iniquitous treatment which America proposes to extend to her must be stoutly resisted, but at the same time it is important that in meeting the situation she should make a wise choice of methods by which to attain her aim."

On Choosing Wives

THE Old Testament tells us "who so findeth a wife findeth a good thing," while the poet Cowper, in one of his merrier moods, penned the following lines:

Misses! the tale that I relate
This lesson seems to carry,—
Choose not alone a proper mate,
But proper time to marry.

These lines are recalled by the remarkable declaration just made in Japan by Miss Carolyn Wilson, a war correspondent and free lance writer, who says that American business men in the Far East choose wives poorly and that too many spouses in the Orient try to emulate Cleopatra and the Queen of Sheba. Too many American business men in India and China, says Miss Wilson, are hampered with wives who try to live the combined lives of Cleopatra and the Queen of Sheba. This startling indictment of her own sex is said to be based on a year and a half's residence in the Far East under contract with a number of trade journals in the United States.

In comparing the average American business man in the Far East with the average Engiish trade representative, Miss Wilson's comments are mostly in favor of the latter. "One of the great hindrances to the American business man in the Far East," the young lady declared, "has been the sort of wife he has selected to bring to a foreign land." Miss Wilson proceeds: "Too many American wives in cities in China and India spend their entire day in playing poker, bridge and mah jongg and it is not an unusual thing for them to lose several hundred dollars in the course of a single afternoon. How can any business man plan his expenditures with such an unchecked drain on his income? Poker parties start as early as ten o'clock in the morning and continue throughout the greater part of the day." (Can this really be so?)

Miss Wilson suggests that the American business man coming to the Far East should be unmarried and should come out with the intention of staying at least nine years. He should be fully acquainted with conditions in the country where he is to live. "Let him go home for a vacation at the end of his first three years and marry the girl of his choice, but be sure that he picks out one that will come out with him a help and not a hindrance. Too many American wives either become dissatisfied and persuade their husbands to break their contracts and return home, or else they launch themselves in a gay life of gambling and 'affairs.' The right kind of a wife can be a great help to a man in the Far East and the wrong type a great liability."

Miss Wilson, it is to be observed, does not mince words and she is certainly unsparing to her sisters in this part of the world. She apparently believes in calling a spade a spade and not an agricultural implement. But on the point whether American wives in the Far East are really as fearsome as Miss Wilson paints them to be, we have to remind her that it is always dangerous to make sweeping assertions of the nature to which publicity has been given in Japan. We scarcely suppose that American wives in the Far East are any better or worse than American wives in other parts of the world, and we very much fear that Miss Wilson has fastened on a few extreme cases which she has persuaded herself to believe are representative of American wives here as a class.

Miss Wilson reminds us of the American who comes to China brimming over with enthusiasm and a healthy thirst for knowledge, stays here for two weeks or so and then goes home to write a book about China. So far as Miss Wilson is concerned, she has not been in this country sufficiently long to form accurate judgments about the order of life in this part of the world, foreign or Chinese. After spending a year and a half in the Far East, Miss Wilson returned to the United States in 1922, and opened later two small importing shops in Chicago. She came to the Orient this summer on a buying and vacation trip and is returning in the President Grant leaving Yokohama July 9. Miss Wilson was correspondent for the *Chicago Tribune* until the peace negotiations were concluded and then returned to the United States and took up free lance writing.

One can understand fairy tales about foreigners in China indulging in orgies going well with some newspapers in the United States which pander to those who love sensation, but Miss Wilson cannot expect to make such sweeping statements in Japan without being challenged by those who know that she chooses too lurid hues in delineating the social life of American women in the Far East. It is perhaps just as well that Miss Wilson was sufficiently discreet to give expression to her opinions only after she had left China, and is, therefore, beyond the reach of her wrathful sisters, to whom she is not particularly charitable.

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By Mathy

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-:- Correspondence -:-

AMOY STUDENT TROUBLE

The following letter has been received regarding the recent student trouble at the University of Amoy:

University of Amoy
Amoy, June 20, 1924.

Dear Sir:—There was unfortunately an outbreak of student trouble at the University towards the end of May.

It arose from some of the students attempting to force the President to state his reasons for giving three months notice to three teachers, viz: Messrs. Ou Yuan Hsui, Y. T. Wang, S. Y. Fu, to discontinue their services in terms of their agreements.

The president refused to yield to mob pressure. The students went on strike and some of them forcibly confined three teachers who strongly disapproved of their conduct. The acting Business Director was hurriedly called to give assistance. He in turn was surrounded. On seeing the menacing attitude of the students, some bricklayers and masons standing around attempted to rescue him, and in the scuffle pulled off three students, and took them away to the Construction Building where owing to their struggles, had their hands tied up. When the Business Director had freed himself he rushed to set the students free but they refused to be released, and brought false charges against the President that he had ordered 500 workmen to beat the students.

For some days the President had conducted his business at his residence in Kulangsu and not in Amoy. The whole affair was planned in advance by the students and the discharged teachers whose disgraceful conduct cannot be too strongly condemned, as they did not hesitate to sacrifice the time of the students by appealing to their youthful impetuosity to cover their compulsory retirement.

All the charges against the school and the staff who had tried to maintain order under great difficulties and with quite unexampled forbearance, are naturally quite baseless and false and do not deserve specific refutation.

During the week of disorder one microscope and two typewriters were stolen. The ring-leaders proposed to start a University in Shanghai under the name of Ta Hsia University and to remove there the library and apparatus of this University!

On the police being informed of this wild scheme, and their taking immediate steps to protect the school property, the discharged teachers immediately left, and the students soon went away.

The student agitation was quite without any foundation except on the assumption that students being "The public", had the right to dictate the school policy to the president and his "cabinet"—a contention which no university or educational institution can ever admit.

It is to be hoped that the ring leaders of the whole agitation will now feel sorry for the great injury they had inflicted upon the students whom they had deliberately utilised for their own selfish ends. The school intimated quite privately to them that after three months their services would no longer be required. Instead of keeping the matter quietly to themselves as a teacher with any self-respect should have done, they immediately announced this to the students and thus started the agitation.

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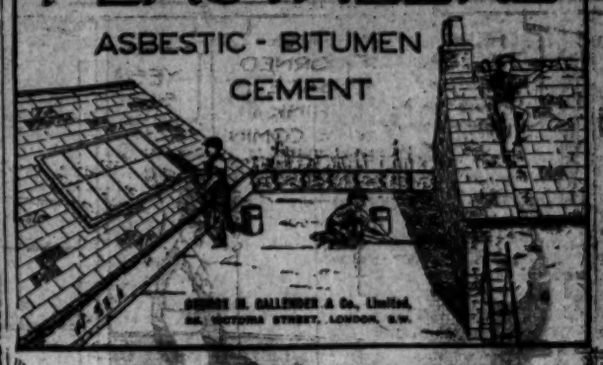

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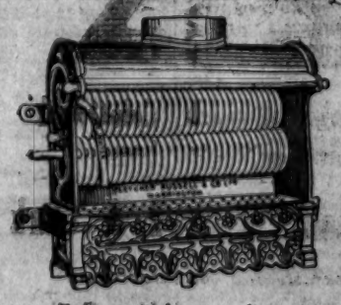

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"The American Flag In China Before 1870"

The following essay was the winner of the first prize offered to high school students by Mr. Edwin S. Cunningham, American Consul-General, as a feature of the flag-raising ceremony in connection with the celebration of July Fourth.

It was written by George Main, 722 Avenue Joffre, Aged 14, who is in his second year high school at the American School. Second prize was awarded to R. Edwin Worley of the American School. First prize in the second classification, of students in the lower grades, was awarded to Miss Maude Gray, 911 Route de Zay Zoong.

BY GEORGE MAIN

The American flag was first seen in China shortly after the close of the Revolutionary War. In 1784 two American ships, the Empress of China and the Pallas, both of Boston, loaded in the harbor of Canton for the United States. Their cargo consisted of tea and silks.

Two years later the American flag was again seen in China when six more New England ships appeared in Canton. Half of their cargo consisted of useless furs for the southern Chinese.

During the Napoleonic wars, America's trade with China increased greatly since the European nations were too busy to look to their China trade. The commerce between China and America had increased to such an extent that in one season fifty years after trade had been established, there were fifty-nine American ships at anchor at Canton, which trade was valued at 17,000,000 dollars Gold and had reached its zenith before the treaty.

The Opium War between China and England was concluded by the treaty of Nanking, in which treaty China was forced to open to the British several more ports, the most northerly of which was Shanghai.

Under these circumstances, the United States lost no time in appointing a plenipotentiary who was given full power and explicit instructions to conclude a treaty on the same lines as the British treaty. Caleb Cushing was chosen as the man for the task. He was provided with a letter from the President of the United States to the Emperor of China. This letter was very unique. It commenced in a complimentary way. It inquired about the Emperor's health and complimented him on his great Empire. It mentioned that the United States was as large in area as China but not so great in population and that two such great nations should be friends. It then suggested that China should open several of its ports to American ships. The treaty was finally signed in a Chinese temple and Cushing's mission was successfully brought to a close. The American was then to be seen in several more Chinese ports.

The position of America with respect to China was one of complete neutrality, friendship, and disinterested aid in the preservation to China of her sovereignty and her place among nations. The friendship was due in part to the attitude of our government in regard to opium.

This lasting friendship between these two countries is shown by the fact that only twice have they gone to arms against each other. Once was when Captain Armstrong fired on the Canton forts and the other time was when the American soldiers went to Peking at the time of the boxer uprising.

The American flag has often been seen to come to the rescue of other foreigners. A case of this was when the British and French fleets were attacking the Taku forts. Four foreign vessels were sunk and all were aground. The casualties numbered four hundred fifty, including both admirals wounded. An American commander entirely unauthorized went to the rescue of the foreign fleets. His excuse was that "Blood is thicker than water."

But even with the opening of the treaty ports, trade between United States and China slackened. The civil war, the changing from sailing vessels to steamers, the opening of the Suez Canal, and a number of other factors caused this decided decline. So in 1870 the American flag had practically disappeared from China and Chinese waters.

DRESS

By Mary Marshall

The Shade Hat for This Summer Takes the Form of a Wide-brimmed Capeline.

The large capeline is no longer on trial. It has been accepted as one of the facts of fashion for the late spring and summer of 1924. At first some doubt was felt concerning this type of hat—any broad-brimmed hat, for that matter. The bobbed hair seemed to call for a small, close-fitting. The very small crown to fit the head shorn of its tresses seemed to be out of all proportion with the wide brim. Still certain milliners and fashion critics had faith in the wide-brimmed hat.

Various types of large hats were tried. There were enormous pokes, with wide brims in front and brimless backs. There were wide-brimmed hats slashed and turned or rolled at side or back. There were large mushrooms and stiff cartwheel hats. But they have survived only occasionally. The large hat that has survived seems to possess a fairly small, round crown—the high, imposing crowns are reserved for the narrow-brimmed shapes. The brim of the large hat is seldom stiff but limber enough to make a graceful undulating halo behind the head of the girl who wears it. There is a trick in the wearing of these large hats. To be sure they are pulled fairly well down on the brow, but they are tipped a little further down at the back than at the front.

The large hat shown in the sketch is of rust-colored milan, trimmed with long streamers of georgette, which shade from deep to pale yellow.

Large milan hat in rust color trimmed with long streamer shaded from deep to pale yellow.

FASHION FLASHES

At the French Exposition held in New York this spring it was observed that none of the French mannequins had bobbed hair, while several of the American girls who displayed French clothes were bobbed or shingled. This, one hairdresser says, is because French women already feel that short hair is inappropriate for evening wear. The short-haired woman is being induced to buy "transformations" of hair to pin on to her head at the back and sides to give a more formal coiffure. This is a great nuisance for lightning changes from day frocks to evening gowns. It is simpler to keep one's own long hair.

WISE AND OTHERWISE

BY MARY MARSHALL

ADDING COLOR TO FOOD

In modern times it was doubtless the French who first developed the psychology of food appeal. Perhaps in ancient times some luxurious race did the same thing. There may have been wise old cooks in Egypt or Cnossos who realized that attractively colored foods tempted the appetite and revived jaded tastes. But in modern times it has been the French who have devised food colorings and it is still from France that we get most of the artificial coloring matter for this purpose.

To some Americans there is something rather repulsive about this. Many of us would rather eat cakes frosted with an honest white than cakes frosted in vivid rose when we know that the color was produced by cochineal—the dried and powdered bodies of little insects.

At the large grocery stores you can buy coloring paste in red, pink, orange green and yellow—possibly other shades.

But for the purpose of the home cook a delightful green may be produced from water in which spinach has been boiled, and this may be used in sufficient quantities to color ices or cake frostings without imparting any spinach flavor to the food. Cranberry juice gives a beautiful rose or red and strawberry and raspberry juice supply a less vivid red during the spring and summer months.

TRY THIS

Almond Macaroons

Two eggs, one cup brown sugar, one-fourth teaspoon salt, one-half cup flour, one-half teaspoon baking powder, one cup almonds blanched and cut in small pieces. Sift the salt and the baking powder with the flour. Beat the eggs slightly and add the sugar, then the flour. Add the almonds last. Bake in small well-greased tins for fifteen minutes in a moderate oven.

More Magic From Science

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS

As water runs through a tube, so light appears to run through a solid rod of the new fused-quartz glass which they have succeeded in making at the Thomson Research Laboratory at Lynn, Massachusetts. But, what an extraordinary thing it is that light should behave in that way!

You can put twists into a garden hose, but as long as you do not obstruct the interior passage, water will run through it, either under the force of gravity, if one end of the tube is kept lower than the other, or by hydraulic pressure if the tube is laid level, or even pointed upward.

This does not astonish anybody because we know by common experience that only solid obstacles arrest the flow of water, while an open space, or an open tube, offer it a free passage. And when it flows through a tube the solid walls hold it to its course, not permitting any of it to escape.

But, what would you say if the hose were made of open network, through which water could freely pass, and yet, when you turned the water on, it followed the tube just as if the latter were made of perfectly impermeable material? That would seem rather like magic, would it not?

Well that is what happens to a beam of light sent into one end of a solid rod of the fused-quartz glass that they are turning out at the research laboratory of the General Electric Company, in Lynn. The solid, transparent, glass rod acts for light and for heat, like a hollow tube or hose for water, and conducts it around corners and through twistings of the rod, without letting it escape at the sides. And this quartz glass is incomparably more transparent than ordinary glass—it is, perhaps, the most absolutely transparent solid substance known.

How then, does it manage to hold the light and keep it flowing like a confined current inside the transparent rod? Apparently the extreme transparency of the quartz serves to make the rod act like a hole in a more opaque medium, and the light follows the hole as water follows the steepest descent and the line of leasts resistance.

It is as if the air encicsing the rod served as a wall of relatively great opacity through which the rushing light beam does not pass. Even if one supposed inertia to keep it confined to a straight line, one would expect the same inertia to make it break through when compelled to turn a corner. The transmitting power of the new glass is said to be nearly three times that of window glass, and almost fifty percent greater than that of the finest optical glass ever made.

To say nothing of the uses which quartz glass will serve in medicine, on account of its property of freely transmitting the germicidal ultra-violet rays of sunshine, which are cut off by window glass, and its further property of transmitting heat, as well as light, like a current following the curves of a rod, so that it seems possible to employ a bent rod of the substance to convey heat, light, and particular rays of radiant energy to points in the body not directly accessible—leaving all that outside account—advantages that are offered in optics alone by this triumph of American practical science are likely to be almost inestimable.

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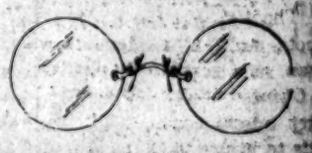
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HANKOW & PORTS.—The Str. KIANGYUNG, Capt. Smith, will leave on Sunday, July 6, at midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HANKOW & PORTS.—The Indo-China S. N. Co.'s S.S. SUIWO, 2,671 Tons, Captain Jackson, will sail for the above-mentioned ports from Hunt's Wharf on Monday, July 7, at about midnight. For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE MATHESON & Co., Ltd., General Managers. Telephone Central 241. Extensions to Freight and Passenger Departments.

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For Southern Ports

FOOCHOW.—The Str. KAHO, Captain Soden, will leave on Tuesday morning, July 8. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The Str. KWANGTAH, Capt. Philip, will leave on Tuesday morning, July 8. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

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YANGTSZE PORTS

The I.C. s.s. Suiwo from Hankow via other river ports is due to arrive in Shanghai July 5.

The I.C. s.s. Loongwo from River ports is expected to arrive in Shanghai Sunday July 6.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The I.C. s.s. Yusang from Swatow direct is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Sunday, July 6.

The I. C. s. s. Tungshing from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow is expected to arrive in Shanghai Sunday July 6.

The C.N. s.s. Foochow from Hongkong direct is expected to arrive in Shanghai at 8 a.m. July 5.

The I. C. s.s. Taksang from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow is expected to arrive in Shanghai on July 8.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 5.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing from Tsingtao is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Monday July 7.

The I. C. s.s. Fausang from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei is expected to arrive in Shanghai on July 8.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Anchises which left Dairy for Shanghai on July 1 via Tsingtao is expected to arrive here on July 5.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

The N.Y.K. s.s. Yamashiro Maru arrived in Shanghai from Moji on July 2 and returns to Moji on July 5.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Nagasaki Maru arrived in Shanghai July 3 and is scheduled to return to Nagasaki on July 5.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Hakusan Maru arrived in Shanghai from European ports on July 3 and will sail for Kobe on July 5.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Eurybates which left Yokohama on July 3 for Shanghai via Kobe and Moji is expected to arrive here on July 11.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Moji on July 6 and is scheduled to sail for Moji on July 9.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Shanghai Maru from Nagasaki and Kobe is expected to arrive in Shanghai on July 7, and is slated to return to Nagasaki on July 9.

EUROPEAN LINES

The L.T.S.N. s.s. Venezia which sailed from Trieste on June 20 is expected to arrive in Shanghai on August 6.

The L. T. S. N. s.s. Rosandra sailed from Trieste on May 20 and left Singapore enroute to Shanghai June 25. The liner is due to arrive here about July 6.

The L.T.S.N. s.s. Bronta sailed from Trieste for China and Japan ports June 5 afternoon is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 28.

The M.M. s.s. Amazone sailed for Shanghai and Japan ports on June 5 and is expected to arrive here about July 10.

The Ben s.s. Benlomond from London via Suez left Singapore June 21 and should arrive in Shanghai July 5.

The H.C.T. s.s. Oldekerk from Holland is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Suez and ports about July 5.

The H.C.T. s.s. Boeton from Antwerp via Suez and ports is due to reach Shanghai about August 5.

The G.L.E.A. s.s. Glentara from London via U. K. ports is expected to arrive in Shanghai about July 6.

The N.A. and A Line s.s. Yara from Christianna and ports left Immingham enroute for Shanghai and is due here about August 1.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Telamon from Liverpool left Singapore enroute for Shanghai July 1 and is due to arrive here about July 11.

The G.L.E.A. s.s. Glenbeg from European ports is expected to arrive in Shanghai via Suez and ports on July 16.

The N.D.L. s.s. Schlesien which left Port Said enroute to Shanghai June 24 is expected to arrive here July 26.

The Ben s.s. Bencleuch from London via ports left on May 23 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 29.

The Ben s.s. Benavon which left London on June 6 for Shanghai via Suez and ports is expected to arrive here July 25.

The Ben s.s. Benrinnes left London on June 20 for Shanghai via ports and is due to arrive here August 14.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Tiresias which left Liverpool enroute to Shanghai on June 7 and sailed from Suez June 18 is expected to arrive here July 14.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Adrastus departed from Liverpool June 14 and left Suez enroute for Shanghai June 25. The Liner is expected to arrive here July 20.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Troilus left Liverpool on June 21 and is expected to arrive in Suez enroute to Shanghai about July 30.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Memnon left Liverpool for China ports on June 28 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai August 11.

The P. & O. s.s. Nagoya left London for Shanghai on June 21 at 3 p.m.

The P. & O. s.s. Nagpore enroute for Shanghai left Bombay June 24 via Hongkong.

The G. L. E. A. s.s. Glenshiel from London via U.K. ports is expected to arrive in Shanghai about July 28.

The P. & O. s.s. Devanha from London is expected to leave Singapore on July 5 enroute for Shanghai.

The P. & O. s.s. Mirzapore from London is expected to depart from Singapore at daylight on July 8.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dollar Line s.s. President Adams sailed from San Francisco on her second round the world cruise June 21. The liner is due to arrive in Shanghai July 15.

The Dollar liner Robert Dollar left San Francisco June 10 for Shanghai and is due here at 4 p. m. July 5.

The Dodwell s.s. Kendal Castle is expected to arrive in Shanghai from New York on August 5.

The Dodwell s.s. Wray Castle is expected to arrive in Shanghai about August 31.

The Dollar liner President Garfield sailed from New York for the Orient via San Francisco June 12 and is due to leave San Francisco July 5. The Liner is due here July 29.

The Isthmian Steamship Line s.s. Memphis City which sailed from Baltimore May 23 for Shanghai and Japan ports via Panama is expected to arrive here about July 20.

The Dollar Liner President Polk is schedule to sail from New York on her second voyage around the world on June 26. The Liner is expected to arrive in Shanghai August 12.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President McKinley sailed from Seattle June 25 and will arrive in Shanghai about July 5.

The Columbia Pacific Shipping Co.'s s.s. Dewey from Portland Ore., U.S.A. is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 20.

The Columbia Pacific Shipping Co.'s s.s. Anna E. Morse from Portland Ore. U.S.A. isexpected to arrive in Shanghai about July 23.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Empress of Canada from Vancouver via Japan ports arrived in Shanghai at 2 a.m. on July 4. The liner will stay at Woosung until 10 p.m. of the same day when she will sail for Hongkong and Manila. The tender with incoming passengers is due at the Customs Jetty at 9:30 a.m. on July 4 and the outgoing tender will leave the Customs jetty at 5 p.m. of the same day.

The C. P. O. s.s. Empress of Asia from Hongkong and Manila is expected to arrive in Shanghai at 2 p.m. on July 5. The liner will dock at the C.M. Lower wharf and sail for Vancouver at 11 a.m. on July 6.

The China Press Mail Schedule

TO THE UNITED STATES AND EUROPE

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
July 5	9 a.m.	P. Grant	Seattle	
July 6	9.30 a.m.	E of Asia	Woosung	

TO SOUTHERN PORTS INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
July 8	2 p.m.	Karmala	London	
July 9	7 a.m.	Anchises	Liverpull	

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	9 p.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	3 p.m.	via Chita
Newchwang	Today	12 m.n.	Kungping
Chefoo & Tientsin	Today	11 a.m.	Pakhoi
Tsingtau	Today	11 a.m.	Kanchow
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Today	8 a.m.	Fengtien
Tsingtau	Today	3.30 p.m.	Fusan Maru
Chefoo & Tientsin	Today	11 a.m.	Pakhoi
Chefoo & Tientsin	Today	12 m.n.	Hsinming
W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	July 6	11 a.m.	Tingsang
Tsingtau & Dairen	July 6	11.30 a.m.	Sakaki M.
Chefoo & Tientsin	July 8	1 p.m.	Shuntien
Tsingtau	July 8	11 p.m.	Tungshing
Chefoo & Tientsin	July 9	12 m. n.	Nanning

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Swatow	Today	11 p.m.	Loksang
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 p.m.	Pfalz
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 p.m.	Malaya
Swatow	Today	12 m. n.	Nanchang
Amoy	Today	12 m. n.	Suiyang
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 p.m.	Atlas Maru
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 p.m.	Cyclope
Swatow	July 6	12 m.n.	Ningpo
Hongkong & Canton	July 7	12 m.n.	Kwangtah
Foochow	July 7	12 m.n.	Kaho
Swatow	July 7	12 m. n.	Yingchow
Hongkong & Canton	July 8	2 p.m.	Karmala
Foochow	July 8	6 p.m.	Ningshin
Swatow	July 8	11 p.m.	Waishing
Hongkong & Canton	July 9	7 a.m.	Anchises
Amoy	July 9	12 m. n.	Shantung

MISCELLANEOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Germany via ports	July 5	8 p.m.	Pfalz
Holland direct	July 7	nil	Westerdyk
Japan ports	July 8	8 p.m.	Shanghai M.
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	July 8	12 p.m.	Karmala
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	July 9	7 a.m.	Anchises
Japan ports	July 11	8 p.m.	Omi Maru

Sailed From Shanghai

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Anten Maru	June 1
Capsa	June 18
China Arrow	June 11
Java Maru	June 25
Manila Maru	June 1
Natica	June 28
President Lincoln	June 22
President Wilson	June 8
Shabonee	June 2
Shinyo Maru	June 30
Tenyo Maru	June 1

FOR VANCOUVER

Africa Maru	June 6
Empress of Russia	June 1
Empress of Australia	June 16

FOR SEATTLE

Arizona Maru	June 27
Cross Keys	June 8
Edmore	June 21
Ewiken	June 21
President Jackson	June 12
Sithonia	June 25
West Nomentum	June 30

FOR NEW YORK

Bolton Castle	June 13
City of Shanghai	June 28
City of Tokio	June 12
Diomed	June 8
Dryden	July 4
Eastern Prince	June 24
Invincible	June 8
Menelous	June 18
President Hayes	June 20
Pres. Van Buren	June 6
Roman Prince	June 7
Takaoka Maru	June 22

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Calchas	June 1
Carmarthenshire	June 8
Cyclops	June 8
City of Athens	June 13
Demodocus	June 27
Glengarry	June 6
Hakone Maru	June 14
Kashima Maru	June 1
Kashgar	June 15
Laomedon	June 6
Lycaon	June 25
Morea	June 24
Ningchow	June 15
Suwa Maru	June 28

FOR HAMBURG

Elverie	June 20
R. C. Rickmers	June 28
Ouderkerk	June 22
Saarland	June 6

FOR COPENHAGEN

Afrika	May 31
Formosa	July 2
Sumatra	May 31

FOR BARCELONIA

C. Lopez Y. Lopez	May 9

FOR TRIESTE

Duchess d'Aosta	June 1
Nippon	July 2
Silvio Pellico	June 25

FOR MARSEILLES

Amboise	June 6
Augers	July 3
City of Melbourne	June 12
Chantilly	June 19
Sikiang	June 24

FOR INDIA

Calcutta Maru	June 28
Kidderpore	June 17
Sicilia	June 8
Steel Exporter	June 14
Tiltrandi	June 13

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

July 5 — Portland	W. O'Rowa	Am. Lumber Co.
July 5 — Vancouver	E. of Asia	Am. C. P. O. S.
July 5 — Seattle	†P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 12 — New York	Tatsuno Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 12 — New York	Havre Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
July 13 — Seattle	Arabia Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
July 15 — San Francisco	Siberia Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
June 17 — Seattle	†P. Madison	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 19 — San Francisco	†P. Cleveland	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
July 21 — Vancouver	E. of Canada	Am. C. P. O. S.
July 23 — New York	Shikinoka M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 26 — Portland	A. E. Morse	Am. Lumber Co.
July 28 — San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
July 29 — Seattle	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 2 — Vancouver	E. of Russia	Br. C. P. S.
Aug. 2 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
Aug. 10 — Seattle	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Lin
Aug. 11 — San francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 10 — San Francisco	Pres. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 18 — Vancouver	E. of Australia	Am. C. P. O. S.
Aug. 22 — Seattle	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug 25 — San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Aug. 30 — San Francisco	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. C.

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July 6 — London	Atlas Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
July 6 — London	Pfalz	Ger. Mel. Co.
July 7 — London	Carmarthenshire	Br. G.L.E.A.
July 8 — London	Karmala	Br. P. & O.
July 8 — Rotterdam	Westerdyk	Dut. H.C.T. Co.
July 9 — London	Anchises	Br. B. & S.
July 9 — Naples	Hindenburg	Ger. H. S. Line
July 11 — Liverpool	Tyndareus	Br. B. & S.
July 17 — Marseilles	Porthos	Fr. M. M. Co.
July 17 — London	Carnarvonshire	Br. G.L.E.A.
July 18 — Marseilles	Pres. Adams	Am. Dollar Line
July 20 — London	Saarbrucken	Ger. Mel. Co.
July 22 — London	Malwa	Br. P. & O.
July 26 — London	Hakozaki M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 27 — Liverpool	Telamon	Br. B. & S.
July 30 — Trieste	Germia	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
July 31 — Marseilles	Amazone	Fr. M. M. Co.
Aug. 1 — Marseilles	P. Garfield	Am. Dollar Line
Aug. 2 — Trieste	Rosandra	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
Aug. 2 — Naples	Emil Kirdorf	Ger. H. S. Line
Aug. 2 — London	Glentara	Br. G. L. E. A.
Aug. 5 — London	Devanha	Br. P. & O.
Aug. 7 — Rotterdam	Oldekerk	Dut. H. C. T. Co
Aug. 9 — London	Hakusan M	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 14 — Marseilles	Angkor	Fr. M. M. Co.
Aug. 14 — Liverpool	Ixion	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 15 — Marseilles	Pres. Polk	Am. Dollar Co.
Aug. 19 — London	Mantua	Br. P. & O.
Aug. 28 — Marseilles	Azay Le Rideau	Fr. M. M. Cie
Aug. 29 — Marseilles	Brenta	Am. Dollar Co.
Aug. 29 — Trieste	Scheer	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
Aug. 30 — Naples	P. Monroe	Ger. H. S. Line

FOR JAPAN PORTS

July 5 — Moji	Yamashiro M	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 5 — Nagasaki	Nagasaki Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 5 — Kobe	Hakusan M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 5 — Kobe	Brenta	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
July 9 — Nagasaki	Shanghai M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 9 — Moji	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 10 — Kobe	Venezia	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
July 12 — Moji	Omi Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 16 — Moji	Ni'ko Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 30 — Kobe	Laconia	It. L.T.S.N. Co.

FOR AUSTRALIA AND HONGKONG

July 5 — Hongkong, Manila	E. of Canada	Am. C.P.O.S.
July 10 — Hongkong, Manila	West Jester	Am. S. & B.
July 13 — Hongkong, Manila	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
July 14 — Hongkong, Manila	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 16 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
July 19 — Hongkong, Manila	E. of Russia	Am. C.P.O.S.
July 22 — Hongkong, Manila	Dewey	Am. Lumber Co.
July 26 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 30 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
Aug. 6 — Hongkong	Yokohama M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 7 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 13 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
Aug. 19 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 27 — Hongkong, Manila	P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

July 5 D.L. Swatow, Canton	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
July 5 D.L. H'kong, Canton	Loksang	Br. J.M. & Co.
July 6 D.L. Amoy, Canton	Suiyang	Br. B. & S.
July 6 D.L. Swatow, Canton	Nanchang	Br. B. & S.
July 7 D.L. Swatow	Ningpo	Br. B. & S.
July 8 D.L. Hongkong, Canton	Yingchow	Br. B. & S.
July 8 7:. Foochow	Kaho	Chi C.M.S.N. Co.
July 8 M. Hongkong, Canton	Kwangtah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 10 5.00 Amoy, Canton	Shantung	Br. B. & S.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

July 5 1.00 Chefoo, Tientsin	Pakhoi	Br. B. & S.
July 5 M. Newchwang	Kungping	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
July 5 — Chinwangtao	Patriot	Br. K.M.A.
July 5 10:00 *Chefoo and Tientsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
July 5 1.00 Tsingtau	Kanchow	Br. B. & S.
July 6 — Chefoo, Tientsin	Tingsang	Br. J.M. & Co.
July 6 M. Chefoo, Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 8 3.00 Chefoo, Tientsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
July 10 D.L. Chefoo, Tientsin	Nanning	Br. B. & S.
July 10 M. Chinwangtao	Kaiping	Br. K.M.A.
July 12 9.00 *Tsingtao	Liangchow	Br. B. & S.

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July 6 M.N. Hankow	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
July 7 M.N. Hankow	Suiwo	Br J. M. & Co.
July 7 M.N. Hankow	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
July 7 M.N. Hankow	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 8 M.N. Hankow	Wanking	Br. B. & S.
July 8 M.N. Hankow	Hsinfung	Chi C.M.S.N. Co.
July 9 M.N. Hankow	Woosung	Br. B. & S.
July 10 M.N. Hankow	Shengking	Br. B. & S.
July 10 M.N. Hankow	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
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F.N.B.	May 30	Jules Ferry	Fr. Cruiser
J.N.B.	May 30	Hira	Jap. Destroyer
J N B	June 3	Fushimi	Jap. Des.
U S N B	June 4	Elcano	Am. Gun-boat
U S N B	June 16	Ajax	Am. Sup. Ship
J N B	June 17	Hozu	Jap. Gun-boat
U S N B	June 26	Asheville	Am. Gun-boat
B N B	June 30	Hulbert	Am. destroyer
B N B	June 30	Pruitt	Am. destroyer
U S N B	July 1	Hart	Am. destroyer
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fall, at spring 3¾ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
2h. 34m.	10ft. 0in.	2h. 53m.	8ft. 0in.

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A.M.	P.M.
0h. 57m.	1h. 15m.

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Daylight Sets	Dark
7:33 a.m.	9:13 p.m.	5h. 2m.	7h. 6m.	4h. 17m.	7h. 51m.

Mean Barometric Pressure. 30.17 in.
April 766.6 mm.

Weather Reports

July 3.—The high pressures are shifting eastwards across northern Japan. A depression is crossing again nothern China eastward. A low center is passing between the Bonin and the Marianas probably Northwestern ward. Monsoon winds all along the China coast. Very hot weather in the Valley, with thunderstorms in the evening.

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Devanha	Aug. 5	Kaisar-I-Hind	" 16	Malwa	Nov. 11
Mantua	Aug. 19	Kashmir	Sept. 30	Karmala	Nov. 25

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Aug. 18	Oct. 13	Dec. 8	Feb. 23	Empress of Australia

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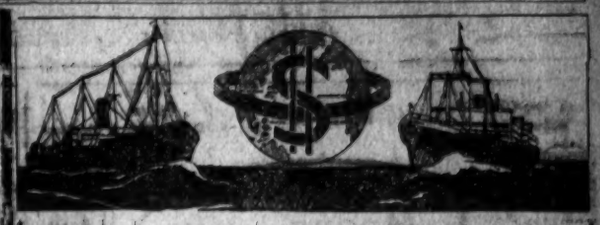

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New French Premier Lauds Labor

British Laborites Not Enemies Of France, Says Herriot

By EDOUARD HERRIOT

Paris, May 19.—Our policy, speaking broadly, is the sole policy holding out hope for the future in the solution of world affairs.

The first question which arises is: "Can we conceive that with such a policy collaboration is possible with the present Government of Great Britain?"

It is banal to say that the policy of Great Britain is derived from her position as an island merchant, and that this policy is, by tradition, served with the instrument of her navy and with coal as a medium of exchange

For England, political economy is a reason of state. Paul Raynaud writes of "English decadence." This is a term which has already cost us dearly.

In 1760 Rousseau wrote that England would be ruined in twenty years. Napoleon had the same fantastic idea. We will be prudent if we do not fall into the same error.

The Labor Party in England is not the enemy of France. This party was the first in England to affirm that the questions of inter-allied debts and reparations are one and the same, while on several occasions that party has declared that Germany should pay reparations.

ECONOMIC SOLIDARITY

I am persuaded that Premier MacDonald will willingly accept the aid of France in the matter of economic solidarity between nations, which everything now demonstrates is urgently necessary. We could not have a better occasion for dissipating the stupid and almost criminal misunderstandings which are separating us from Britain.

To tell the truth, however, I do not believe that either France or the Ruhr is responsible for the unemployment in England. One of the elements causing this unemployment was the excess of shipbuilding during the war, resulting in a reaction which closed many shipyards on the Clyde.

According to statistics the United States in 1914 possessed only about one-tenth of the tonnage of English owned vessels, whereas in 1921 the American sea tonnage was more than half as great as that of England.

Having increased her population and her needs, England is obliged to import more and to establish an economic balance she must also export more. She suffers from the same need of increasing her exports, which at this moment hits all producing nations.

INDUSTRY'S GROWTH

The number of industrial countries is being augmented daily. Technical education is becoming more general. The day has gone when England milled the cotton of the entire world, for today cotton is woven where it grows The American producers of raw material now exercise the formidable trade domination hitherto exerted by the English.

English coal is no longer king—it has been dethroned by oil and electricity. Coal is allied to iron. Until 1840 America had not discovered iron. In 1835 England produced as much iron as Germany and the United States together. Today England is third on the list and America leads. Such are the causes of English unemployment.

The solution is a dual one, and applies to France and other nations as well as to England. It is first to augment the power of purchase of existing consumers, and, secondly, to go out through the world finding new consumers.

We rejoice that a party has taken power in England which understands veritable truths and is not afraid to apply them in its policy as it has with regard to Russia.

VIEWS ON RUSSIA

Russia is clearly entitled to a place in the sun of equal treatment among nations. This need not mean that we approve of her theories.

In certain quarters the claim is made that a reign of communism in France would abolish salaried positions and militarism. What an error! Salaries exist in Russia and the small employe was never so miserable as today. As to militarism, the Journal de Geneve quotes Admiral Bebrens, representing Russia, as proclaiming that the special situation of Russia makes necessary a fleet superior to that of all other nations. Russia, like Italy, will be saved only by democracy.

The Ruhr has only made us lose a lot of time and a vast amount of money. We should never have undertaken that adventure. It was a mistake from the beginning.

Premier Poincare, by accepting in 1924 what he refused in 1923, himself proved this viewpoint as most correct. The Belgian Government estimates the Ruhr receipts at 100,000,000 gold marks, but it forgets to count that 89,000,000 gold marks must go for costs of the armies of occupation. Thus only about 11,000,000 gold marks remain as so-called Ruhr profits, which goes entirely to Belgium under her priority claims.

NOTHING FROM RUHR

France gets nothing whatsoever from the Ruhr. If, therefore, there remains a single Frenchman who believes that the Ruhr is a productive gange, he must be a lunatic. And to say that this security is not productive is to say that it must be changed.

Here is where the reports of the experts come in. The Dawes report provides that we should exchange our Ruhr gauge for a plan providing for reparations founded on an international loan. This has always been the plan which we have urged on Parliament.

The merit of the loan lies in the fact that Germany would no longer have as creditors France and other impoverished allies, but a gigantic mass of lenders and investors throughout the world.

The plan of the experts represents an unique occasion to secure our legitimate demands. No matter what admirable efforts our engineers make in the Ruhr, we cannot possibly get reparations by these efforts. They will be less even than France could have obtained during 1922, but which the Government then abandoned, sacrificing the welfare of the country to private interests.

FINANCIAL QUESTION

For instance, the Reparations Commission decided that Germany should deliver 1,450,000,000 gold marks in goods, of which 950,000,000 would go to France and the remainder to the Allies.

The rest of the Allies took their entire quota, but France took only 181,000,000 gold marks in coal and coke, abandoning more than 3,000,000,000 francs worth of goods during one year, which could have been used for reconstruction of the devastated regions.

The Government took this attitude at the behest of big interests who had suffered, it was alleged, by the introduction of such large quantities of goods into France.

The financial question dominates everything. The opposition press dares to pretend that we have no program. They forget that at the very beginning of the last Legislature, and at intervals since, we have vainly proposed measures which in our judgment we believe necessary.

In 1920 we demonstrated how frightful was France's situation, while England safely weathered the storm by strictly applying the income tax. The French Government contented itself with a continuation of the policy of borrowing, which there are no words sufficient to condemn, for it has brought France to her present pass.

At the same time the Government refused to tax money which was sent abroad.

Even lately the Government asked and obtained authorization to issue new treasury bonds. And then when the manoeuvres against the franc were started there was a panic.

RIGOROUS ECONOMY

Instead of striking at the real guilty ones—the profiteers—the Government forced Parliament over our protests to vote a tax bill imposing big additional taxation on the food of the masses. They claimed fallaciously that they thus reconstituted the nation's finances.

A long effort will be necessary to put all this in order. The income tax must be applied down to the last centime, with the utmost rigor. And there must be no more of the sort of economy which suppresses a few small functionaries and leaves forty-five admirals drawing big salaries.

In exchange for the double decimal tax we have already brought forward a plan which rests not on a capital levy, but on a surplus tax in the progress of large capital, which we would have as supplementary to any others now in force.

There is a new Bastille to be torn down. It is the Bastille erected by the grafters and profiteers, the big trust that is almost eaten into the heart of French politics and the Government. Like worms eat into rotten wood. A leprous corruption covers the press. The newspapers still calling themselves Republican are in reality commanded by the chief of staff of the profiteers.

A LONG BATTLE AHEAD

Our battle will be a long and hard one. The thing is to know whether France, after Bastille, has the will to restore the principle of order and equality which alone can give us peace.

We have our house to be cleaned. One of our first tasks must be the cleansing of the French Embassy at Rome, which has become the centre of propaganda for the profiteers. It was the Rome Embassy, remember, which began the fight against Joseph Caillaux, and it was equally the Rome Embassy which sent our Government the mendacious information regarding the causes for the fall of the franc which the Government communicated to Parliament as true.

We find this conspiracy against democracy, not only at Rome but also at London. We are fighting a sordid oligarchy which seized the reins of government.

For instance, there is the sugar scandal. During three years the profits of fifty sugar refineries in France amounted to 554,000,000 francs, whereas those of 220,000 cultivators of beets amounted to only 2,000,000 francs.

Look at the situation of the franc and then at the cost of living and you will know that something is radically wrong. The cost of living shot up in February with the same rapidity with which the franc fell. But when the franc rose again the cost of living remained high.

What is true in sugar is true of all other commodities, and necessaries. The prices of food are set by the oligarchy, the end of whose rule is now signaled by our recent victory in the elections.

A HEART AND SOUL

We are called upon to unmask the revolutionary propaganda, to give the suffering masses confidence in the republic, to make evident the moral ends which such a regime impose, and to transform the republican government into an impartial arbiter in which may safely be left the solution of the social problems which are pressing on our shoulders.

It is necessary that the public have not only a body, but that it have a heart and soul also.

The party to which I belong has always been in the forefront of educational reformers. Today we insist that France shall realise the equality of all children. In the schools it must be no longer possible that a child because he is without fortune, should see himself barred from higher studies although he may be mentally equipped for them.

In conclusion, on the eleventh of May the electors of France planted a new tree Liberty—watered by good will to all nations. It will soon bear fruit and our objective will have been gained.

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